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PRACTICE TEST 1

Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from that of the others.

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| 1. | A. decided <u>ed</u> | B. shout <u>ed</u> | C. empti <u>ed</u> | D. admitt <u>ed</u> |
| 2. | A. steps <u>s</u> | B. mates <u>s</u> | C. fight <u>s</u> | D. stair <u>s</u> |
| 3. | A. stood <u>d</u> | B. blood <u>d</u> | C. flu <u>d</u> | D. blew <u>w</u> |
| 4. | A. maid <u>d</u> | B. lai <u>d</u> | C. plant <u>t</u> | D. hate <u>t</u> |
| 5. | A. engine | B. anger | C. imagine | D. engineer |

Choose the word whose stress pattern is different from that of the other three.

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| 6. | A. danger | B. include | C. devote | D. police |
| 7. | A. career | B. enter | C. moment | D. ocean |
| 8. | A. profession | B. interfere | C. afternoon | D. employee |
| 9. | A. union | B. united | C. wonderful | D. library |
| 10. | A. comfortable | B. cancellation | C. interpreter | D. comprehension |

Choose the word or phrase that best fits the blank space in each sentence.

11. My father..... the Friends of the Theater in his community 5 years ago andan active member in this group ever since.

A. joined / was	B. had joined / was
C. joined / has been	D. had joined / has been

12. You won't have that ball back until you promise at my cat again.

A. not to kick	B. not kicking
C. don't kick	D. haven't kicked

13. Dick..... a mustache, but he doesn't any more. But I..... him without his mustache. He still looks strange to me.

A. is used to having / am not used to seeing
B. used to have / didn't use to see
C. used to have / am not used to seeing
D. is used to having / didn't use to see

14. tourists are greatly impressed by the lifelike statues in the park.

A. Most of	B. Most	C. Almost	D. Almost of
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15. Why don't you ask the man sitting next to you to put..... his cigarette?
 A. on B. out C. off D. down
16. The national economy is suffering. There has been no..... progress for the past year.
 A. economy B. economic C. economical D. economise
17. The little girl looked up thinking her mother would beat her.
 A. fear B. fearful C. fearfully D. feared
18. Although Tony is 20, he still often like a child.
 A. treats B. tells C. seems D. behaves
19. After the accident was blood everywhere, many passengers were injured.
 A. it B. there C. this D. that
20. He's also written several novels, one of was the best-seller last year.
 A. them B. novels C. which D. that
21. my great delight, the present from my son in Canada came on my birthday.
 A. To B. With C. In D. For
22. She spoke nobody could understand her.
 A. so fastly that B. fastly so that C. so fast that D. fast so that
23. Is this difficult exercise you've ever done?
 A. the more B. the most C. more D. most
24. By working hard the final exams last year.
 A. I could pass B. I could have passed
 C. could I pass D. could I have passed
25. Hardly can find the answer to the complex problem.
 A. no one B. someone C. anyone D. everyone
26. My mother was in the of feeding the pigeons in the morning.
 A. manner B. habit C. custom D. tradition
27. Computers are not....., of course, but they usually do not make mistakes.
 A. perfect B. well C. common D. truthful
28. Computers can work with information at the same time.
 A. several B. a great number of
 C. many D. a lot of
29. While the boss is away, Sue will be..... of the office.
 A. in charge B. in control C. in command D. in place
30. Gambling is against the law in our country it is legal in some states in America.
 A. however B. whereas C. as D. where

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| 41. | A. so complicated that | B. as complicated as | | |
| | C. complicated so | D. complicated so that | | |
| 42. | A. In addition | B. On the contrary | | |
| | C. In general | D. For example | | |
| 43. | A. percent | B. percentage | | |
| | C. both are correct | D. both are incorrect | | |
| 44. | A. discharge | B. produce | C. support | D. advertise |
| 45. | A. work | B. jobs | C. employment | D. all are correct |
| 46. | A. have stopped | B. stop to have | C. have to stop | D. stop having |
| 47. | A. can gradual reduce | B. can be gradual reduced | | |
| | C. can gradually reduce | D. can be gradually reduced | | |
| 48. | A. weaken | B. worsen | C. lighten | D. lessen |
| 49. | A. like | B. as | C. for | D. that |
| 50. | A. polluting | B. polluted | C. pollute | D. to pollute |

Read the passage below carefully and choose the correct answer (A, B, C, or D).

Ever since humans inhabited the earth they have made use of various forms of communication. Generally, the expression of thoughts and feelings has been in the form of oral speech. When there is a language barrier communication is accomplished through sign language in which motions stand for letters, words, and ideas. Tourists, the deaf, and the mute have had to rely on this form of expression. Many of these symbols are very picturesque and exact and can be used internationally; spelling however, can not. Body language transmits ideas and thoughts by certain actions, either intentionally or unintentionally. A nod signifies approval while shaking the head indicates a negative reaction.

Other forms of nonlinguistic language can be found in Braille (a system of raised dots read with the fingertips), signal flags, Morse code and smoke signals. Road maps and picture signs also guide, warn, and instruct people. While verbalization is the most common form of language, other systems and techniques also express human thoughts and feelings.

51. How many different forms of communication are mentioned here?
 A. 5 B. 7 C. 9 D. 11
52. Sign language is said to be picturesque and exact and can be used internationally except for
 A. spelling B. ideas C. whole words D. expressions

53. Which form other than oral speech would be most commonly used among blind people?

- A. picture signs
- B. Braille
- C. body language
- D. signal flags

54. Which of the following is not true?

- A. There are many forms of communication in existence today.
- B. Verbalization is the most common form of communication.
- C. The deaf and mute use an oral form of communication.
- D. Ideas and thoughts can be transmitted by body language.

55. Which of the following best summarizes this passage?

- A. When language is a barrier people will find other forms of communication.
- B. Everyone uses only one form of communication.
- C. Nonlinguistic language is invaluable to foreigners.
- D. Although other forms of communication exist, verbalization is the fastest.

Choose the sentence (A, B, C or D) that has the same meaning to the one given.

56. Poverty and overcrowding are ruining the life of people in many cities.

- A. Crowds of people in many big cities are ruining their life.
- B. Only poor people in many big cities have their life ruined.
- C. Due to poverty and overcrowding the life of people in many big cities is being ruined.
- D. Overcrowding in many big cities has made people poorer.

57. As I didn't witness the scene myself, I didn't report the case to the police.

- A I'd report the case to the police but I didn't witness the scene myself.
- B Although not witnessing the scene myself, I think I shouldn't report the case to the police.
- C I'd have reported the case to the police if I had witnessed the scene myself.
- D I wish I witnessed the the scene myself so that I could report the case to the police.

58. He can't support his family even after having found some extra work.

- A Before having found some extra work he can support his family.
- B His family support him to find having found some extra work.
- C Although he has found some extra work he can't support his family.
- D all are correct.

68. The most serious problem of modern times is that man is destroying the earth's nature resources.

A

B

C

D

69. Robots in the home might not be enough creative to do the cooking, plan the meal and so on.

A

B

C

D

70. It is becoming extremely difficult to grow enough to feed the world's rapidly increased population.

A

B

C

D

71. She hasn't much money to spend because she can find out only a part- time job.

A

B

C

D

72. He emerged from the jungle only to find him face to face with a man- eating tiger.

A

B

C

D

73. There was a great lose of human lives due to the recent damaging sunami.

A

B

C

D

74. You can't find the peace and quiet in my home village as it has urbanised.

A

B

C

D

75. If an ambulance doesn't come soon, the passenger who has many deep cuts in the head and shoulders will bleed to die.

A

B

C

D

Choose the sentence (A, B, C or D) which is best written with the given words and phrases.

76. world's oceans / vast / cope / present levels / pollution

A. The world's oceans are so vast that they can cope with the present levels of pollution.

B. The world's oceans are too vast to cope with the present levels of pollution.

C. The world's oceans are very vast although they can cope with the present levels of pollution.

D. The world's oceans are vast so that they can cope with the present levels of pollution.

77. robots / use / slaves, therefore, / free / people / do / more of the things / want.
- A. Robots used slaves, therefore, people freeing them to do more of the things they want.
 - B. Robots would be used like slaves, therefore, free people can do more of the things they want.
 - C. Robots would be used as slaves, therefore, freeing people to do more of the things they want.
 - D. Robots' use is like slaves', therefore, free people do for them more of the things they want.
78. way / protect / all the wildlife / must / find/ many species / in danger of extinction
- A. A way to protect all the wildlife must find as many species are in danger of extinction.
 - B. A way is protected for all the wildlife, finding any species which are in danger of extinction.
 - C. A way protects all the wildlife that are found among many species in danger of extinction.
 - D. A way of protecting all the wildlife must be found as many species are in danger of extinction.
79. person's choice / occupation / probably / most important / ever have / made
- A. A person's choice of occupation is probably the most important one that ever has to be made.
 - B. A person's choice about occupation is probably most important one to have ever made.
 - C. A person's choice from occupation is probably the most important one ever has to be made.
 - D. A person's choice among occupation is probably most important ever having made.
80. my opinion / unfair / women / more duties / husbands
- A. According to my opinion it is unfair when women have more duties than their husbands.
 - B. In my opinion it is unfair that women have more duties than their husbands.
 - C. My opinion is unfair for women to have more duties than their husbands.
 - D. My opinion, which seems to be unfair, is that women should have more duties than their husbands.

PRACTICE TEST 2

Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from that of the others.

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|-----------------------|----------------------|---------------------|----------------------|
| 1. A. <u>shot</u> | B. <u>bor</u> row | C. <u>econ</u> omic | D. <u>show</u> |
| 2. A. <u>n</u> ation | B. <u>n</u> atural | C. <u>mat</u> ter | D. <u>an</u> ger |
| 3. A. <u>prec</u> ise | B. <u>mod</u> ernise | C. <u>prom</u> ise | D. <u>real</u> ise |
| 4. A. <u>des</u> ign | B. <u>hor</u> se | C. <u>ro</u> se | D. <u>adver</u> tise |
| 5. A. <u>o</u> f | B. <u>coff</u> ee | C. <u>off</u> | D. <u>wi</u> fe |

Choose the word whose stress pattern is different from that of the other three.

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|-----------------|--------------|-------------|---------------|
| 6. A. answer | B. surprise | C. ticket | D. language |
| 7. A. attend | B. goodbye | C. model | D. prefer |
| 8. A. affect | B. honey | C. surround | D. reply |
| 9. A. monument | B. influence | C. history | D. attractive |
| 10. A. discover | B. interview | C. continue | D. invention |

Choose the word or phrase that best fits the blank space in each sentence.

11. There is no point in phoning him this afternoon. He..... in the garden and the phone.

A is working / doesn't hear

B. will be working / won't be hearing

C is working / isn't hearing

D. will be working / won't hear

12. He came to Paris 6 months ago French

A. so that to learn

B. in order to learn

C. for learning

D. being learning

13. Tom came to the party with

A. 3 other friends

B. 3 another friends

C. other 3 friends

D. all are correct.

14. What is the next course?

A. coming

B. to come

C. come

D. came

15. Now I think she isto living in the city.

A. happy

B. anxious

C. accustomed

D. interested

16. Many people today decide on their careers they are very young.

A. since

B. when

C. if

D. despite

17. The choice may until you have grown up.
 A. to dealy B. to be delayed C. delay D. be delayed
18. It is supposed that future generations may handle the matter
 A. differ B. difference C. different D. differently
19. When you are still young, you have little or no knowledge the work.
 A about B of C for D in
20. I'm expecting an important phone call from America. you tell me when it comes?
 A. Could B. Would C. Will D. all are correct
21. Yesterday I was writing to the shop to ask why my books yet.
 A. haven't been arrived B. haven't arrived
 C. hadn't been arrived D. hadn't arrived
22. Many teachers welcome computersothers remain reluctant.
 A. whereas B. and C. however D. although
23. Computer programming more to develop your problem-solving skills.
 A. does B. makes C. causes D. produces
24. The play was very so the theater was full every night.
 A. popular B. favourite C. common D. widespread
25. I don't want you to mention my name under any
 A. cases B. chances C. circumstances D. conditions
26. They don't accept the changes to the terms of the contract.
 A. any B. some C. some of D. any of
27. They him with a medal for his loyal service during the war.
 A. gave B offered C. awarded D. presented
28. We must congratulate himhis passing the driving test first time.
 A. on B. in C. for D. of
29. John is very goodhis hands.
 A at B. with C. about D. for
30. The manager is incompetent so they require his..... from the position.
 A. resignation B. application C. retirement D. training
31. War-time Paris was created in the film..... for the film "Echo.of War", in which all the were played by unknown actors.
 A. studios / heros B. studios / heroes
 C. studios / heroes D. studios / heros
32. Do you think is impossible to achieve?
 A. perfect B. perfectly C. perfection D. imperfect

33. What expressed by the speakers interesting.
 A is / sounds B: are / sound C. is / sound D. are / sounds
34. We will be away for 2 weeks on vacation. I will ask the postmanour mail until the 20th.
 A. stop to deliver B. stop delivering
 C. to stop to deliver D. to stop delivering
35. Thanks a lot for your help. Without it Ithe task.
 A. couldn't perform B. couldn't have performed
 C. didn't perform D. was not able to perform
36. He was delighted by the.....of the welcome he received.
 A. warm B. warmly C. warmming D. warmth
37. The young actor left his town to find.....in the big city.
 A. fame B. freedom C. talent D. career
38. Some..... fled in fear when the little boy opened the kitchen door.
 A. mouse B. mouses C. mice D. mices
39. Theescaped with the contents of two.....
 A. thefts / safes B. thieves / saves C. thefts / saves D. thieves / safes
40. I must drink something. I'm.....of thirst.
 A. wanting B. dying C. getting D. wishing

Choose the word or phrase to fill each of the blanks to make a meaningful passage.

English was first written down in the 6th century. At that time, writers had to use the 23 (41)..... of the Latin alphabet to write down what they heard. (42)..... English has sounds that do not exist in Latin, they added letters to represent these 44 sounds of English.

After the Norman (43)..... of England in 1066 French became the (44)..... by the king and other people in positions of power and influence. Many French words were introduced (45)..... the spelling of many English words changed to follow French patterns. The printing press was (46)..... in the 15th century. Many early printers of English texts spoke other first languages, especially Dutch. They often paid (47)..... attention to how English words were spelled. Sometimes technical decisions were (48)..... to give columns of print straight edges. (49)....., people got used to seeing words spelled in the same way. Fixed spellings were therefore created by the printers' decisions.

(50) that English spelling seems irregular.

41. A. sounds B. letters C. words D. pronunciations
 42. A. When B. Because C. That's why D. Therefore
 43. A. invasion B. discovery C. relation D. understanding
 44. A. speaking language B. spoken language
 C. language speaking D. language spoken
 45. A. so B. so that C. because D. that
 46. A. discovered B. introduced C. invented D. used
 47. A. little B. no C. hardly any D. all are correct
 48. A. done B. created C. made D. caused
 49. A. With time B. By the time
 C. For the time being D. Just in time
 50. A. It is no wonder B. It is no use
 C. There is no need D. There is no reason

Read the passage below carefully and choose the correct answer (A, B, C, or D).

51. Interesting new research is being done at the moment into the benefits of exercising. Scientists are finding that moderate exercise can delay the results of ageing and even reverse them. Among the benefits of regular exercise are a healthier heart, stronger bones and quicker reaction times. When exercise is done by middle-aged and older people it can turn the clock back by as much as ten to fifteen years. Moreover, the findings show that it does not matter; improvements will occur at any age.

- A. what kind of sportgame you choose to play at weekends
 B. whether you enter sporting events as professionals or amateurs
 C. how well you can play sports
 D. when in life a person starts to exercise

52. They walked slowly along the beach. The sun was sinking in the west but it was still warm. The day away from the city had been a wonderful success. "I wish life could always be as peaceful as this", she thought but she said "I suppose it's time we were making a move homewards"

- A. They were all exhausted and ready to go home.
 B. Celia felt refreshed and happy
 C. However, John could not forget the problems he had left behind
 D. The week's holiday was turning out better than they had expected

53. He was born in a very poor part of London. His father was a comedian and his mother worked as a dancer and singer. Neither of them was very successful, however, and the family had very little money. At one time they were so poor that and they had to take turns wearing them.

- A. they were asked to move out of the flat as they couldn't pay the rent
- B. he and his brother stopped schooling and started work at an early age
- C. his parents could buy him and his brother only used clothes and shoes at very low prices
- D. he and his brothers had only one pair of shoes between them

54. To understand a text you have to understand the main idea - the topic of each paragraph. Usually, the topic of a paragraph is expressed in a sentence, at the beginning of a paragraph, sometimes at the end, or even in the middle. Sometimes a paragraph has no topic sentence, yet it still has a topic. In this case, you have to read the paragraph in order to find out what its topic is.

- A. To be a good writer you must choose an interesting topic
- B. If you read the paragraph carefully you can find out the main idea
- C. This sentence is called the topic sentence
- D. It's hard for all readers to see things from the writer's viewpoint

55. Anyone who lives in a city is aware of the increasing number of cars on the road and the kinds of problems this creates: traffic jams, air pollution and longer commuting periods. As economies grow and access to cars spreads to increasing numbers of people, this trend is likely to worsen. The solution, it would seem, is for the government to encourage the use of public transport in urban areas, thus.....

- A. decreasing dependence on private car.
- B. reducing the level of air pollution in crowded cities
- C. cutting down great amounts of fuel consumed by private means of transport
- D. all are correct

Choose the sentence (A, B, C or D) that has the same meaning to the one given

56. He is by far the richest man I know.
- A. He is the richest man in my country.
 - B. He is one of many rich men I know.
 - C. He is richer than all his friends.
 - D. He is much richer than anyone I know.
57. By next May he will have worked here for 5 years.
- A. He no longer works here.
 - B. He has now worked here for 5 years.
 - C. He is going to work here for the next 5 years.
 - D. He is at present working here.

58. It's unlikely to rain this afternoon.

- A. It will rain this afternoon.
- B. There's no chance of rain this afternoon.
- C. This afternoon will probably be wet.
- D. The afternoon looks like being dry.

59. She would have sung for us if he had asked her.

- A. He didn't ask her to sing so she didn't sing.
- B. She was going to sing for us but she then changed her mind.
- C. She sang for us although he didn't ask her.
- D. He asked her to sing but she refused.

60. Seeing that he was so angry she left the office.

- A. She didn't want to make him angry so she left.
- B. She left the office when she saw how angry he was.
- C. He grew very angry when he saw her leaving the office.
- D. He wouldn't have been so angry if she hadn't left the office.

Choose the underlined word or phrase (A, B, C or D) that needs correcting.

61. Only when you have had a chance to know various occupation

- A B C

will you decide on your career.

D

62. However, it is wide agreed that school children should be taught computer

- A B C

programming as early as possible.

D

63. Do you remember that the more loud you shout, the less attention you'll get.

- A B C D

64. A picture of a red disc with rays come from it can be used to symbolise the sun.

- A B C D

65. His long-suffered parents are always ready to help him whenever he is in trouble.

- A B C D

66. Bells told people of happy events, such as weddings and born or, sometimes

- A B

had to announce unpleasant events such as a death.

- C D

67. Everyday in summer, but especially at the weekends, all kinds of vehicles

A

bring crowds of people to enjoy the various attraction.

B

C

D

68. The young are thought to be the future leaders of the country, and it is

A

B

C

essential that they should understand their heritage as full as possible.

D

69. The nearest beach is less than hundred meters away so we can go

A

B

C

D

swimming a lot.

70. Visitors may realize that even though they can't make their homes in DaLat

A

B

city, they can take away with them memories of their beauty.

C

D

71. Although the island is much more smaller than Phu Quoc island, there seems

A

B

to be much more to do.

C

D

72. A man was extreme fortunately of suffering only minor injuries after falling

A

B

1,000 meters from a small aircraft yesterday.

C

D

73. Because of today's inflation, the cost of gasoline, food, and hotels have risen

A

B

C

tours are becoming expensive.

D

74. I tried to do everything to contact John two weeks ago but so far I don't receive

A

B

C

D

his reply.

75. The accident victim managed to pull through however his serious condition.

A

B

C

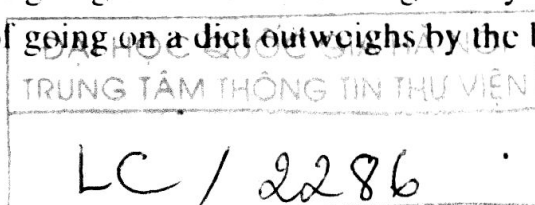
D

Choose the sentence (A, B, C or D) which is best written with the given words and phrases.

76. inconvenience / go / diet / outweigh / by / benefit

A. The inconvenience of going on a diet is outweighed by the benefit.

B. The inconvenience of going on a diet outweighs by the benefit.



- C. The inconvenience of going on a diet has outweighed by the benefit.
 D. The inconvenience of going on a diet is outweighing by the benefit.
77. I / have / my hair / restyle / coming New Year
 A. I'll have my hair restyled for the coming New Year.
 B. I'm going to have restyled my hair for the coming New Year.
 C. I'm going to have to restyle my hair for the coming New Year.
 D. I'll have my hair to be restyled for the coming New Year.
78. bells / use / give / people / warn / enemy's approaching
 A. Bells are used for giving people warning of an enemy's approaching.
 B. Bells are used and given to people who have warned that an enemy would approach.
 C. Bells, used and given to people, have warned that an enemy would approach.
 D. Bells have used for giving people warning of an enemy's approaching.
79. There / comfortable departure lounges / passengers / wait / board / flight
 A. There are comfortable departure lounges, which passengers wait before boarding their flight.
 B. There are comfortable departure lounges for passengers waiting and boarding their flight.
 C. There are comfortable departure lounges, where passengers wait before boarding their flight.
 D. There are comfortable departure lounges and passengers who wait to board their flight.
80. 1937 / Disney film Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs / issue / every few years / give / enjoyment / many generations / children
 A. Since 1937 the Disney film Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs has issued every few years, to enjoyment to many generations of children.
 B. In 1937 the Disney film Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs was issued and every few years it was given enjoyment for many generations of children.
 C. Since 1937 the Disney film Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs has been issued every few years, giving enjoyment to many generations of children.
 D. In 1937 the Disney film Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs was issued every few years, given enjoyment for many generations of children.

PRACTICE TEST 3

Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from that of the others.

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|------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|----------------------|
| 1. A. <u>heat</u> | B. mach <u>ine</u> | C. <u>reality</u> | D. complet <u>e</u> |
| 2. A. dec <u>ision</u> | B. dec <u>isive</u> | C. <u>encourage</u> | D. v <u>isit</u> |
| 3. A. mou <u>ths</u> | B. clo <u>ths</u> | C. mon <u>ths</u> | D. pat <u>hs</u> |
| 4. A. tax <u>ed</u> | B. laugh <u>ed</u> | C. shopp <u>ed</u> | D. ragg <u>ed</u> |
| 5. A. <u>century</u> | B. <u>cash</u> | C. <u>curious</u> | D. <u>calculator</u> |

Choose the word whose stress pattern is different from that of the other three.

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| 6. A. continent | B. continue | C. control | D. contain |
| 7. A. element | B. citizen | C. represent | D. company |
| 8. A. recently | B. diamond | C. assistant | D. confidence |
| 9. A. discipline | B. interesting | C. adventure | D. reference |
| 10. A. comparative | B. development | C. population | D. equality |

Choose the word or phrase that best fits the blank space in each sentence.

11. He told me.....the safe before he left.
A. to remember to lock B. remember locking
C. to remember locking D. remember to lock
12. "No one.....touch anything in the room", said the policeman.
A. has to B. will C. can D. had better
13. Judging by smell, this can seems to be filledpetrol.
A. by B. from C. of D. with
14. He doesn't take much exercise.....from walking.
A. alone B. besides C. except D. apart
15. Everyone is ready,?
A. isn't he B. isn't she C. aren't they D. is he
16. I'd rather youanything about this to anyone.
A. don't say B. didn't say C. won't say D. not said
17. They have 2 children,whom is married.
A. all of B. some of C. both of D. neither of
18. There.....a book, a pen, and an inkpot on the table.
A. are B. is C. exist D. have

19. I called on her yesterday; she at the time.
 A. cooked B. had cooked C. was cooking D. would cook
20. She finally decided her children alone in the house.
 A. not leaving B. do not leave C. not leave D. not to leave
21. Your letter was received the week last.
 A. before B. after C. ago D. from
22. Some young people feel that sometimes they must disagree..... their parents.
 A. from B. with C. about D. against
23. If you go to the beach you can get a lot of fresh air and also the sunshine.
 A. enjoy B. look C. like D. regard
24. It's high time you to study seriously.
 A. begin B. began C. did begin D. would begin
25. They left at 10:00 AM anda taxi to the airport.
 A. take B. are taking C. took D. have taken
26. If she to call me, she could do so.
 A. has wanted B. will want C. wanting D. wanted
27. No one knows how many books lost.
 A. had been B. have been C. had D. have
28. we arrived late, we were given the least desirable seats in the stadium.
 A. Although B. Even C. Because D. Despite
29. How can I do the same jobwithout getting bored?
 A. continuous B. continuously C. continual D. continually
30. Their permissiveness has their son, to a certain extent.
 A. damaged B. hurt C. spoilt D. ruined
31. We should try to study hard toour knowledge.
 A. better B. farther C. lessen D. strengthen
32. She got a(n) for what she has contributed to the organization.
 A. reward B. prize C. present D. award
33.may take place when you don't speak English correctly.
 A. Understand B. Misunderstand
 C. Understanding D. Misunderstanding
34. She left.....London yesterday.
 A. in B. to C. for D. from

35. Did she lock you the house on purpose?
 A. out of B. out C. outside D. outdoor
36. No two individuals are exactly not even twins.
 A. like B. likeness C. alike D. likely
37. There are some mysteries that remain
 A. solve B. solution C. soluble D. unsolved
38. A few hours later, I found myself lying on a beach after swimming for miles.
 A. exhausted B. exhaustion C. exhausting D. exhaust
39. Great works of art like the Mona Lisa are....
 A. value B. valueless C. invaluable D. valuate
40. His name is Sebastien, but we call him Seb.....
 A. in short B. by chance C. in addition D. for fun

Choose the word or phrase to fill each of the blanks to make a meaningful passage.

There is a serious danger today that many wild animal species may (41)out in the near future. Mankind is cutting down trees at such a (42)that the forest habitats are disappearing very quickly. Twenty years ago, tigers, elephants, and deer were (43)freely throughout Malaysia, and hippos, lions and rhinos were frequently seen on the African plains, just (44)they had been for thousands of years. (45)now, with the pressure from ever-expanding populations, the animals (46)pushed out of their traditional territories. If man stopped to think, he would see (47)this is leading him. In 10 years or 20 years (48), he will have made it impossible for these animals to live (49) except in zoos.

Therefore, to protect wildlife, many countries have (50) wildlife preserves in regions where animal life is threatened.

41. A. disappear B. stop C. die D. run
42. A. velocity B. time C. step D. rate
43. A. roaming B. traveling C. flying D. moving
44. A. like B. as C. because D. when
45. A. So B. For C. Until D. But
46. A. have B. are being C. have been being D. were*
47. A. that B. if C. why D. how
48. A. the most B. on most C. for most D. at most
49. A. somewhere B. anywhere C. nowhere D. everywhere
50. A. put up B. set out C. put out D. set up

58. I would feel better if you told me what to expect before we came here.

A B C D

59. The Vietnamese automobile industry is growing, but agricultural will always be
its economic mainstay.

C D

60. Our trainees found the product demonstration at this meeting

A B

difficult to understand than in previous years.

C D

61. It was such a worrying news that they all kept silent on being informed.

A B C D

62. This year alone, over three thousand inventors from all over the country are
application for patent rights.

D

63. Not until he made his third attempt the athlete could break his previous record.

A B C D

64. Even though she had never seen him before, she immediately identify him
when he stepped off the plane.

A B C

D

65. I don't believe there is anyone best suited for the job than Mrs. Marellis.

A B C D

66. If the telephone hadn't been invented, now we couldn't talk together so easily
whenever we want.

A B C D

67. Do you ever regret not to have gone to university when you were young and
had such a good chance?

A B C

D

68. He complaint that the noise prevented him from hearing what I was saying.

A B C D

69. Joe's mother told him not to talk with your mouth full.

A B C D

70. The audience burst into laughter just as the clown appeared in the stage.

A B C D

Choose the sentence (A, B, C or D) that has the same meaning to the one given.

71. She couldn't find the classroom until after the class had begun.
- A. She went to the wrong class
 - B. She was late for class because she had got lost
 - C. She missed the class
 - D. She had some trouble finding the class but she arrived on time
72. The book costs \$15, 50 but I have only \$14, 50
- A. I have more than enough money to pay for the book.
 - B. The book costs a little more than I have with me.
 - C. I have just enough money to pay for the book.
 - D. I need a few more dollars to pay for the book.
73. My father likes nothing better than fishing on a hot, summer day.
- A. My father doesn't like fishing on a hot, summer day.
 - B. Although he likes fishing he doesn't want to do it on a hot, summer day.
 - C. Fishing is my father's favourite enjoyment on a hot, summer day.
 - D. Fishing is better than doing nothing on a hot, summer day.
74. Tom has the ability to be a professional musician, but he's too lazy to practice.
- A. He is able to practice music lessons professionally though he is lazy.
 - B. As a professional musician he is not lazy to practice music lessons.
 - C. He is talented but he'll never be a professional musician as he doesn't practice.
 - D. Though practicing lazily, he is a professional musician.
75. If I hadn't had so much work to do I would have gone to the movies.
- A. I never go to the movies if I have work to do.
 - B. I would go to the movies when I had done so much work.
 - C. A lot of work couldn't prevent me from going to the movies.
 - D. Because I had to do so much work I couldn't go to the movies.

Choose the sentence (A, B, C or D) which is best written with the given words and phrases.

76. compare / recent times / women / allow / train / doctors / medical schools / Britain.
- A. Compared with recent times women have allowed to train doctors at medical schools in Britain.
 - B. In comparison with recent times women allowed training doctors at medical schools in Britain.

- C. In comparatively recent times women are allowed training as doctors at medical schools in Britain.
- D. In comparatively recent times women have been allowed to train as doctors at medical schools in Britain.
77. These / polyster bottles / mean / few breakages. / costly / time-consuming.
- A. These polyster bottles mean that a few breakages are costly and time-consuming.
- B. These polyster bottles mean few breakages, which are costly and time-consuming.
- C. These polyster bottles mean that a few breakages cost alot and consume time.
- D. These polyster bottles mean few breakages and they are costly and time-consuming.
78. produce / books / begin / Ancient Egypt, / not / form / recognise / us today
- A. The producing of books began in Ancient Egypt, not forming what is recognised by us today.
- B. The production of books began in Ancient Egypt, though not in a form that is recognised to us today.
- C. They produced books and began in Ancient Egypt, though not any of their form recognise us today.
- D. They produced books and began in Ancient Egypt, though they were not the form which is recognised by us today.
79. final decision / not / build / super market / make / next month
- A. The final decision on not building the supermarket will have made next month.
- B. The final decision on building or not the supermarket is being made next month.
- C. The final decision that they are not to build the supermarket is made next month.
- D. The final decision on whether or not to build the supermarket will be made next month.
80. nowadays / become / increasingly difficult / find land / build airports
- A. Nowadays it is becoming increasingly difficult for finding land to build airports.
- B. Nowadays it is becoming increasingly difficult to find land on which to build airports.
- C. Nowadays becoming increasingly difficult, people find land to build airports.
- D. Nowadays due to becoming increasingly difficult, people can't find land on which to build airports.

PRACTICE TEST 4

Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from that of the others.

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|-----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|---------------------|
| 1. A. the <u>ft</u> | B. sa <u>id</u> | C. ta <u>s</u> te | D. che <u>ck</u> |
| 2. A. bu <u>ry</u> | B. stea <u>d</u> y | C. mea <u>n</u> t | D. journe <u>y</u> |
| 3. A. fa <u>ce</u> s | B. hou <u>s</u> es | C. hor <u>s</u> es | D. gla <u>s</u> ses |
| 4. A. pro <u>v</u> e | B. mov <u>e</u> ment | C. roo <u>f</u> | D. glo <u>v</u> e |
| 5. A. hat <u>re</u> d | B. age <u>d</u> | C. dema <u>nd</u> ed | D. war <u>m</u> ed |

Choose the word whose stress pattern is different from that of the other three.

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|---------------------|-----------------|--------------|----------------|
| 6. A. suppose | B. apply | C. sentence | D. allow |
| 7. A. profession | B. magazine | C. policeman | D. intention |
| 8. A. accurate | B. dangerous | C. history | D. disagree |
| 9. A. entertainment | B. photographer | C. education | D. manufacture |
| 10. A. competitor | B. responsible | C. opinion | D. dangerously |

Choose the word or phrase that best fits the blank space in each sentence:

11. My speech isn't ready yet but I'll have time to prepare it the journey.
A. for B. during C. in D. through
12. He enjoyed playing computer games at first but after he got bored with them.
A. little time B. no time C. while D. a while
13. The school hasrules about wearing jewellery.
A. strong B hard C. strict D. sharp
14. I'm afraid I didn't hear the doorbell when you rang, in the garden.
A. worked B. have worked
C. have been working D. was working
15. He always puts..... paying the bills for as long as possible.
A. off B. away C. out D. aside
16. We had to move the furniture to room for the new piano.
A. give B. make C. set D. do
17. Each student must be for his or her own belongings.
A. interested B. careful C. responsible D. Away

18. He received most of hiseducation from his mother.
A. music B. musical C. musician D. musicale
19. The watch I bought is fine but the strap won't go round my
A. waist B. wrist C. ankle D. elbow
20. we do the same work, she earns more than I do.
A. Despite B. However C. In spite D. Although
21. the 1500s the Spanish readily conquered Indian tribes of the Americas.
A. Since B. During C. When in D. As soon as
22. People..... how to dye their clothes even before they knew how to read and write.
A. have known B. had known C. knew D. are known
23. Why don't youthis old broken bicycle? It is useless now.
A. discard B. get away from C. wear out D. turn down
24. Will you stop while I'm talking?
A. sing B. to sing C. singing D. being singing
25. I've lost my keys. Have you seen them today?
Yes, I remember them on the table this morning.
A. to see B. seeing C. of seeing D. that seeing
26. The competition is openyoung people under the age of 18.
A. for B. with C. to D. in
27. In a few hours, we the test, and we'll go home and rest.
A. have finished B. are finishing
C. will have finished D. will be finishing
28. You have to study hard to keep..... your classmates.
A. pace with B. on with C. in touch with D. out of
29. The cost of living has over ten percent in the past years.
A. raised B. come C. risen D. gone
30. Almost all students interested in the subject to attend the lectures.
A. want B. to want C. wants D. who wants
31. The boy stood at the front door with his legsapart.
A. wide B. widen C. widely D. width
32. The journalist received information from a source in government.
A. lifeless. B. nameless C. fruitless D. useless
33. His explanation was extremely false and she clearly expressed her
A. belief B. believable C. disbelief D. unbelievable

34. After a hard-working day, I felt verywith such a light dinner.
 A. satisfactory B. satisfied C. unsatisfied D. dissatisfied
35. In this school emphasis is on discipline and hard work.
 A. lied B. lain C. laid D. lay
36. I didn't her as she was wearing a blond wig.
 A. perceive B. know C. realise D. recognise
37. Parking facilities are available only for hotel
 A. guests
 B. customers C. passengers D. clients
38. Doris and Mary are both good but only the has been given a scholarship.
 A. last B. later C. latter D. least
39. All I wanted was rest and refreshment,I needed to sit down, have drink.
 A. for example B. in other words C. in general D. to some extent
40. He was the leader of a well-knownof criminals.
 A. group B. gang C. crowd D. crew

Read the passage below carefully and choose the correct answer (A, B, C, or D).

Harvard University is situated along the banks of the Charles River in Cambridge, Massachusetts. The university is now a sprawling complex of more than four hundred buildings, housing classrooms, laboratories and libraries. The Harvard faculty has produced 27 Nobel laureates and more than 20 winners of the prestigious Pulitzer Prize. Today the university has more than 16,000 students and over 2,300 full-time faculty members.

Harvard is consistently ranked as one of the best schools in America and the world. And it is considered a leading international research institution. The university owes its reputation as a centre for academic excellence to its professional and graduate schools, as well as to its undergraduate programme. The Medical, Law, Business and Divinity schools are leaders in their fields, attracting for students around the world. Beginning in the 1930s, Harvard made a conscious effort to recruit students from all over the United States, not just the eastern part of the nation. More recently, the university has pursued policies to increase the number of the women and minority students on campus.

A long tradition of modification and change continues, but the commitment to excellence remains at the heart of Harvard education.

41. Which of the following statements is true?
 A. The Harvard University has won 27 Nobel Prizes.
 B. The Harvard graduates have won 27 Nobel Prizes.

- C. The Harvard Faculty has won more than 20 Pulitzer Prizes.
 D. The Harvard graduates have won 27 Nobel Prizes but no Pulitzer Prizes.
42. Harvard includes three of the following except.....
 A. professional schools B. graduate programme
 C. job training programme D. undergraduate programme
43. Three of the following are the famous schools in Harvard. Which is the exception?
 A. Medical School B. Mathematics School
 C. Divinity School D. Business School
44. Since 1930s, Harvard has tried hard to enroll students from
 A. all over the United States B. all over the world
 C. eastern part of the country D. western part of Europe
45. Harvard has managed to increase the number of students on campus.
 A. top B. Asian
 C. women and minority D. women and black

Choose the word or phrase to fill each of the blanks to make a meaningful passage.

The total of traffic in many cities in the world today continues to expand. This causes many problems including (46)....., lengthy delays, and the greater risk of accidents. Clearly, something must be done, but it is difficult to (47)..... people to change their (48)..... and leave their cars at home.

One possible approach is to make it more expensive for people to use their cars by increasing (49)..... for parking and bringing in tougher fines for (50)..... breaks the laws. In addition, drivers could be required to pay for using particular routes at different times of the day. (51)..... way of dealing with the problem is to provide cheap parking on the (52)..... of the city, and strictly control the number of vehicles (53)..... into the city centre. Drivers and their passengers then use a special bus service for the final stage of their journey. Of course, the most important thing is to provide good public transport. However, to get people to give up the comfort of their cars, public transport must (54)..... to be reliable, convenient, and comfortable, with fares (55)..... at an acceptable level.

46. A. air is seriously polluted B. air pollution is serious
 C. there is serious air pollution D. serious air pollution
47. A. make B. suggest C. persuade D. let
48. A. custom B. habit C. interest D. choice
49. A. pays B. fares C. prices D. charges

50. A. anyone B. those C. anyone who D. those who
 51. A. Another B. Other C. Different D. Various
 52. A. outskirts B. suburbs C. streets D. parks
 53. A. to allow B. to be allowed C. allowed D. allowing
 54. A. feel B. have felt C. be felt D. be feeling
 55. A. taken B. stood C. kept D. given

Choose the underlined word or phrase (A, B, C or D) that needs correcting.

56. Although we asked politely, the secretary was not able to cash our twenty
 A B C
dollars bill.

D
 57. In my life I shall never forget the impression was made on me by my first
 A B C
 visit to the Great Wall.

D
 58. Although I advertised several times for someone to mown the lawn for me,
 A B
but in the end I had to do it myself.

C D
 59. Because of the increase in the number of firms offered financial services,
 A B
 there's a bigger demand than ever for qualified accountants.

C D
 60. As an adult, I very much appreciate being given the opportunity to travel
 A B C
extensive with my parents when I was a child.

D
 61. She always tries to do the best and more efficient job that she can do as she
 A B C
 hopes to be given a chance to work in Paris next year.

D
 62. The less time you take on the assignment, the less pages you will complete.
 A B C D

63. The patient treated for a bad burnt on his hand recovered more quicky than expected.
 A B C D

64. They all moved out of the village when they heard of the approached storm.

A

B

C

D

65. It is widely known that bone loss occurs earlier in women than men do.

A

B

C

D

66. After his retirement my father's hobby is collecting stamps and sorting out

A

B

stamps take him at average 2 hours a week.

C

D

67. So carelessly my brother drives that he has already had 2 accidents this year

A

B

C

and now his leg is in plaster.

D

68. I'm not used to driving in the left though I have been living in London since

A

B

C

I got married 10 years ago.

D

69. To her relief, the young mother lastly found her little boy, who was

A

B

under the staircase sleeping with his dog.

C

D

70. Carol, friendly girl, had little or no difficulty making friends in this new

A

B

C

school and now she's very popular among us.

D

Choose the sentence (A, B, C or D) that has the same meaning to the one given.

71. I had expected the food they served to be nicer than it was.

A. The food they served was really as nice as I had expected.

B. They served the nice food as I had expected.

C. They served the nicer food than they used to.

D. The food they served was not as nice as I expected.

72. If we had left any later, we would have missed the train.

A. We left too late to catch the train.

B. The train left late and we could catch it.

C. We almost missed the train.

D. Because the train was late we had no trouble catching it.

73. I have to hurry to deposit the money before the bank closes.
- A. The bank closed before I could deposit the money.
 - B. If I'll hurry, I'll get to the bank before closing time to deposit some money.
 - C. I have to take some money out of the bank before it closes.
 - D. The bank is closing my account as I haven't deposited any money.
74. Because of the 3-hour delay, it was almost 2 o'clock when we arrived.
- A. We ~~had~~ planned to arrive at 11 o'clock.
 - B. The delay made us arrive 2 hours late.
 - C. We were delayed in 3 hours and then went on at 2 o'clock.
 - D. At 2 o'clock we were delayed in 3 hours but finally arrived.
75. She is searching a new job as a typist.
- A. She is looking for someone doing the typing job.
 - B. Searching for a typist is her new job.
 - C. She is trying to find a new typing job.
 - D. She has accepted employment as a typist.

Choose the sentence (A, B, C or D) which is best written with the given words and phrases.

76. common fact / children / love / animals / more / adults
- A. The common fact is that children love animals more than adults.
 - B. It is the common fact that children love animals more than adults do.
 - C. The common fact is that the more children's love for animals, the more children's love for adults.
 - D. It is the common fact that the more adults' love for animals, the more adults' love for children.
77. most / poisonous waste / chemical factories / flowed / the river / polluted.
- A. Most of the poisonous waste of chemical factories are flowed into the river and polluted.
 - B. Most of the poisonous waste from chemical factories flowed into the river and polluted it.
 - C. Most poisonous waste in chemical factories flowing into the river was polluted.
 - D. Most of the poisonous waste from chemical factories flowed into the river which is polluted.

78. rumour / neither / doctor nor / nurses / there / patient / died.

- A It is rumoured that neither the doctor nor the nurses were there when the patient died.
- B There is a rumour that neither the doctor nor the nurses were there so the patient had died.
- C It is a rumour that neither the doctor nor the nurses was there and the patient had died.
- D It has rumoured that neither the doctor nor the nurses were there when the patient died.

79. You / should / finish / homework / last night / instead / stay / out too late / leave / unfinished

- A. You should finish your homework last night instead of staying out too late to leave it unfinished.
- B. You should have finished your homework last night instead of staying out too late, leaving it unfinished.
- C. You should be finished your homework last night instead of staying out too late and left it unfinished.
- D. You should be finishing your homework last night instead of staying out too late so left it unfinished.

80. time / parents / wanted / educational present / used to buy / typewriter / book / dictionary

- A. There was some time parents wanted an educational present that used to be bought a typewriter, a book or a dictionary.
- B. It was some time since parents wanted an educational present used to buy a typewriter, a book or a dictionary.
- C. There was a time when parents wanted an educational present they used to buy a typewriter, a book or a dictionary.
- D. It was time since parents wanted an educational present used to buy a typewriter, a book or a dictionary.

PRACTICE TEST 5

Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from that of the others:

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|------------------------|------------------|--------------------|----------------------|
| 1. A. wea <u>th</u> | B. clo <u>th</u> | C. wi <u>th</u> | D. mara <u>th</u> on |
| 2. A. wi <u>nd</u> ing | B. wi <u>ndy</u> | C. fi <u>n</u> ish | D. <u>s</u> pin |
| 3. A. la <u>mb</u> | B. co <u>mb</u> | C. lu <u>m</u> ber | D. de <u>b</u> ate |
| 4. A. p <u>u</u> sh | B. p <u>u</u> ll | C. r <u>u</u> sh | D. bu <u>t</u> cher |
| 5. A. <u>ch</u> urch | B. <u>ch</u> ess | C. <u>ch</u> oice | D. <u>ch</u> oir |

Choose the word whose stress pattern is different from that of the other three.

- | | | | |
|-------------------|---------------|----------------|--------------|
| 6. A. adventure | B. however | C. boundary | D. recording |
| 7. A. emigrant | B. loneliness | C. wonderful | D. engineer |
| 8. A. propose | B. marry | C. engage | D. divorce |
| 9. A. uncle | B. mother | C. achieve | D. cousin |
| 10. A. difference | B. exception | C. performance | D. emotion |

Choose the word or phrase that best fits the blank space in each sentence.

11. I tried as hard as I could to make sure that this problem wouldn't
A. rise B. raise C. arise D. arouse
12. I clearly what I'll have to do in my next project at work.
A. haven't been told B. haven't told
C. won't be told D. won't tell
13. He will sue you you pay him the money back.
A. or B. otherwise C. unless D. if not
14. You are supposed your homework before class.
A. to be finished B. being finished
C. to have finished D. having finished
15. I'm extremely to all the teachers for their help.
A. thankful B. grateful C. delightful D. dependent
16. The party is heavily on the decoration for its success.
A. depend B. depended C. dependent D. dependence
17. The train was late, but no one knew the for delay.
A. purpose B. reason C. result D. process

18. I was responsible..... my motherlooking after our pets while she was at work.
 A. of / to B. for / of C. to / for D. for / of
19. I had my trousersbecause they were too short.
 A. long B. length C. lengthening D. lengthened
20. I'm afraid you've understood me because that's not I meant.
 A. how B. which C. what D. whether
21. Heto have made a serious mistake.
 A. is said B. says C. has said D. is saying
22. On second thought, I down his offer.
 A. went B. cut C. turned D. moved
23. The house was expensive than he thought it would be.
 A. far more B. many more C. even more D. much
24.practising regularly will you be able to speak English well.
 A. By B. Only by C. Even for D. In
25. The woman herself to her teaching career.
 A. contributed B. encouraged C. comforted D. devoted
26. Please report toon arrival.
 A. receipt B. reception C. receive D. receptionist
27. There is,, one further point to make.
 A. in addition to B. in addition C. added to D. adding to
28. For recycled newsprint, twelve trees can be saved.
 A. every ton B. every ton of C. each ton D. each ton of
29. They had a lot of preparation before the Sea Games started.
 A. done B. caused C. made D. created
30. I work in a factory which has more than.....
 A. thousand employees B. thousands employees
 C. a thousand of employees D. a thousand employees
31. A passenger was extremely fortunate of suffering only a minor
 A. wound B. damage C. injury D. disease
32.his first flight in this particular plane, he is not an inexperienced pilot.
 A. Because of B. Besides C. Despite D. During
33. Nina wants to be a(n).....and join the government.
 A. politician B. economist C. physician D. socialist
34. We have just had an intersting of Europe, viviting 10 countries in a month.
 A. trip B. voyage C. tour D. journey

35. Linda had no suspicion that anything
A. came wrong B. went wrong C. came wrongly D. went wrongly
36. These seem unnecessarily complicated. Make them simpler.
A. instructions B. instructors C. constructions D. constructors
37. a lack of interest, tomorrow program has been cancelled.
A. Owing to B. With C. Without D. Except for
38. I didn't find the garden very
A. attractively B. attractive C. attracted D. attraction
39. He could not pay his debts;, he was imprisoned.
A. consequently B. certainly C. unluckily D. supposedly
40. Just they're rich it doesn't necessarily mean they're happy.
A. since B. as C. for D. because

Read the passage below carefully and choose the correct answer (A, B, C, or D).

During the teenage years, many young people can at times be difficult to talk to. They often seem to dislike being questioned. They may seem unwilling to talk about their work in school. This is a normal development at this age, though it can be very hard for parents to understand. It is part of becoming independent, of teenagers trying to be adult while they are still growing up. Young people are usually more willing to talk if they believe that questions are asked out of real interest and not because people are trying to check up on them.

Parents should do their best to talk to their son or daughter about school work and future plans but should not push them to talk if they don't want to. Parents should also watch for the danger signs: some young people in trying to be adult may experiment with alcohol or smoking. Parents need to watch for any signs of unusual behavior which may be connected with these and get help if necessary.

41. This is from a.....
A. parents's handbook B. teenage magazine
C. school timetable D. children's book
42. What is the writer trying to do?
A. to be amusing B. to be helpful
C. to be questionable D. to be sorry
43. Why do adults sometimes find teenagers difficult to talk to?
A. because most teenagers are quiet.
B. because teenagers don't want to talk to their parents.
C. because teenagers think adults are not honest.
D. because most teenagers hate adults.

44. When can you expect a young person to be more talkative than usual?
- When people talk to them because they are really interested and not just checking up on them.
 - When adults give them a lot of money to spend.
 - When adults talk to them about something other than their work in school.
 - When adults talk to them about alcohol and smoking.
45. Some teenagers experiment with drinking or smoking because.....
- they regard it as a mark of adulthood.
 - women like a smoking and drinking man.
 - cigarettes and alcohol are cheap.
 - cigarettes and alcohol are available everywhere.

Choose the word or phrase to fill each of the blanks to make a meaningful passage.

In the (46) span of forty-five years, (47)has been an incredible evolution in the size and capabilities of computers. Today, computers smaller than the tip of your fingernail have the (48) capabilities as the room-sized (49)of forty-five years ago.

The first computers were developed around 1945. They were so large that they required special (50) rooms. About twenty years later, in the 1960s, desk-sized computers were developed. This represented a gigantic (51) Before the end of that same decade, (52), a third generation of computers, which (53)simple integrated circuits and which was even smaller and faster, had appeared. In 1971, the first microprocessor, less than one square centimeter (54) was developed. Today, electronic engineers predicted that even (55) computers will be on the market before the twenty-first century.

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| 46. | A. short relatively | B. shortly relatively | | |
| | C. relatively short | D. relative short | | |
| 47. | A. it | B. this | C. that | D. there |
| 48. | A. similar | B. same | C. equal | D. alike |
| 49. | A. machinary | B. motor | C. engine | D. machine |
| 50. | A. air-conditioner | B. air-conditioned | | |
| | C. air-conditioning | D air-condition | | |
| 51. | A. advance | B. progress | C. movement | D. result |
| 52. | A. therefore | B. however | C. as a whole | D. on the contrary |
| 53. | A. was used | B. is used | C. used | D. uses |
| 54. | A. in length | B. in size | C. in weight | D. in width |

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67. If only you are students can you get special reduced prices and some
A B
free samples of shampoo as well.

68. Before selling it to our family last month, the house is said to have been
A B C
modernised and decorated carefully.

69. The last time it has rained here was months ago and the villagers are afraid
A B
that their harvests will be spare.

70. Out of the two kinds of transport, air travel is faster. Yet, sea travel, which
A B C
most ordinary people prefer is much cheaper.

D

Choose the sentence (A, B, C or D) that has the same meaning to the one given.

71. This spade, which dates in the fifth century, is older than any other tools in the exhibition.

- A. The other tools in the exhibition are older than the fifth century spade.
- B. The fifth century spade is not as old as the other tools in the exhibition.
- C. The fifth century spade is older than one of the other tools in the exhibition.
- D. The other tools in the exhibition are not as old as the fifth century spade.

72. While trying to break into the shop, the burglar was caught by the nightguard.

- A. Trying to break into the shop, the nightguard caught the burglar.
- B. The burglar who was trying to break into the shop caught the nightguard.
- C. The nightguard caught the burglar who was trying to break into the shop.
- D. Breaking into the shop the nightguard tried to catch the burglar.

73. The children should be doing what they have been told.

- A. What the children are doing is the same as what they have been told.
- B. The children aren't doing what they have been told.
- C. The children have never done what they have been told.
- D. What the children have been told to do is being done now.

74. "I don't think you ought to feel too confident about your ability, boy" she said.
- A. She didn't think that the boy felt very confident about his ability.
 - B. She advised that the boy should feel confident about his ability.
 - C. She told the boy to feel confident about his ability.
 - D. She warned the boy not to feel too confident about his ability.
75. By burning all the documents I could make nobody find out the truth.
- A. So as not to find out the truth I burned all the documents.
 - B. So as for the truth not to be found out I burned all the documents.
 - C. Due to burning all the documents nobody could find out the truth.
 - D. Nobody was made to find out the truth as I had burned them all.

Choose the sentence (A, B, C or D) which is best written with the given words and phrases.

76. almost everyone / fail / pass / driver / test / first try
- A. Almost everyone fails to pass the driver's test on the first try
 - B. Almost everyone is failed to pass the driver's test in the first try
 - C. Almost everyone fails to have passed the driver's test for the first try
 - D. Almost everyone are failed to have passed the driver's test with the first try
77. important / cancer / diagnose/ treat / early / possible / assure / successful cure
- A. It is important that cancer is diagnosed and treated as early as possible in order that to assure a successful cure.
 - B. It is important that cancer be diagnosed and treated as early as possible to assure a successful cure.
 - C. It is important that cancer is being diagnosed and treated as early as possible for assuring a successful cure.
 - D. It is important for cancer to diagnose and treat as early as possible so as to assure a successful cure.
78. fall / most / trees / lose / leave/ turn / green / gold
- A. In the fall, most of trees lose their leafs, which have turned from green to gold.
 - B. In the fall, most of trees lose their leafs, which are turned from green to gold.
 - C. In the fall, most trees lose their leaves turned from green to gold.
 - D. In the fall, most trees lose their leaves, which have turned from green to gold.

79. doctors / conclude / addition / regular exercise / diet / rich / fruit and vegetables / good / heart

- A. Doctors are concluded that in **addition** a regular exercise, a diet rich in fruit and vegetables is good for a **heart**.
- B. Doctors have concluded that in **addition** to regular exercise, a diet rich in fruit and vegetables is good for the heart.
- C. Doctors concluded that in **addition** to regular exercise, a diet is rich in fruit and vegetables which is good for the heart.
- D. Doctors are concluded that in **addition** to a regular exercise, a diet rich in fruit and vegetables is good for a **heart**.

80. Canada / stretch / Atlantic Ocean / Pacific Ocean, / cover / area / almost / 4 million / square mile

- A. Canada stretches from **Atlantic Ocean** to **Pacific Ocean**, and covering the area of almost 4 million **square miles**.
- B. Canada stretched from the **Atlantic Ocean** to the **Pacific Ocean**, and covered an area of almost 4 **millions** of square miles.
- C. Canada stretches from the **Atlantic Ocean** to the **Pacific Ocean**, and covers an area of almost 4 **million square miles**.
- D. Canada stretches from the **Atlantic Ocean** to the **Pacific Ocean**, and is covered the area of almost 4 **millions** of square miles.

PRACTICE TEST 6

Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from that of the others.

1. A. smooth B. these C. although D. length
2. A. world B. work C. sword D. word
3. A. passage B. pension C. tradition D. pressure
4. A. garage B. luggage C. marriage D. message
5. A. worry B. hurry C. sudden D. fury

Choose the word whose stress pattern is different from that of the other three.

6. A. active B. behave C. hopeless D. manner
7. A. apply B. chapter C. oyster D. solar
8. A. coconut B. dominate C. tornado D. washable
9. A. cigarette B. nonsmoker C. solution D. tobacco
10. A. destination B. enthusiast C. technology D. environmert

Choose the word or phrase that best fits the blank space in each sentence.

11. David is short. He's not.....to be a policeman.
A. so tall B. tall enough C. quite tall D. tall as
12. The more the car costs.....it goes.
A. faster B. the more fast C. the fastest D. the faster
13. The first May Day meeting was.....in Great Britain.
A. made B. held C. done D. taken place
14. They put up.....all around the tour advertising the circus.
A. newspapers B. magazines C. programmes D. posters
15. She opened the basket and emptied the.....into a saucepan.
A. fullness B. contents C. insides D. containers
16. It is difficult for him to buy good shoes because he had such a big.....of feet.
A. couple B. pair C. size D. number
17. Hardly had the van turned round the corner when one of the back wheels.....
A. came off B. took off C. came out D. took out
18. There is no.....in going to school if you are not willing to learn.
A. reason B. aim C. purpose D. point

19. If you hadn't watched that late movie last night, you.....sleepy now.
 A. wouldn't have been B. might not have been
 C. wouldn't be D. wouldn't have been being
20. If we.....the plan you suggest, we are more likely to be successful.
 A. adopt B. command C. decide D. elect
21.him to arrive in time for dinner.
 A. hope for B. attend C. expect D. think
22. Could you please.....an appointment for me to see Mr. Smith?
 A. manage B. arrange C. do D. make
23. The shoes fit her.....
 A. perfectly B. justly C. fairly D. rightly
24. The old man got into the.....of storing money under the bed.
 A. tradition B. manner C. use D. habit
25. The.....of the bank where he worked was not in the centre of the city.
 A. branch B. seat C. quarter D. house
26. When he.....his cup, he broke it.
 A. was dropping B. dropped C. drops D. has dropped
27. He said he didn't have.....from working on the field.
 A. joys B. any joy C. some joys D. no joy
28. The size of the audience,.....we had expected, was well over twenty thousand.
 A. as B. whom C. what D. who
29. They looked very.....when they came to see us last night.
 A. cheer B. cheerful C. cheerfully D. cheered
30. I wish I.....English very well.
 A. know B. knew C. did know D. have known.
31. It is difficult to find.....in this city.
 A. employment B. employer C. employee D. employ
32. This work used to.....by hand.
 A. do B. be done C. doing D. being done
33. What have you donewe last met at Tom's wedding last year?
 A. when B. until C. after D. since
34. You won't catch a coldyou keep your feet dry.
 A. even when B. so far as C. so long as D. on the condition
35. They were having difficulty finding the house.
 A. right B. true C. nice-looking D. normal

36. Sam usually prefers playing football doing homework.
A. more than B. rather than C. than D. to
37. Agnes was upset by some of her husband's religious
A. views B. ideas C. opinions D. thoughts
38. You have 30 days in which this form.
A. completed and returned B. completing and returning
C. complete and return D. to complete and return
39. of young people in the city are becoming addicted to cocaine.
A. An increasing number B. The increasing number
C. An increasing amount D. the increasing amount
40. After hours of going from one hotel to another, we finally found which was not fully booked.
A. it B. some C. one D. that

Read the passage below carefully and choose the correct answer (A, B, C, or D).

Elizabeth Blackwell was born in England in 1821, and emigrated to New York City when she was 10 years old. One day she decided that she wanted to become a doctor. That was nearly impossible for a woman in the middle of the nineteenth century. After writing many letters seeking admission to medical schools, she was finally accepted by a doctor in Philadelphia. So determined was she that she taught school and gave music lessons to earn money for her tuition.

In 1849 after graduation from medical school, she decided to *further* her education in Paris. She wanted to be a surgeon, but a serious eye infection forced her to abandon the idea. Upon returning to the United States, she found it difficult to start her own practice because she was a woman. By 1857 Elizabeth and her sister, also a doctor, along with another female doctor, managed to open a new hospital, the first for women and children.

Besides being the first female physician and founding her own hospital, she also established the first medical school for women.

41. Why couldn't Elizabeth Blackwell realize her dream of becoming a surgeon?
A. She couldn't get admitted into medical school.
B. She decided to further her education in Paris.
C. A serious eye infection halted her quest.
D. It was difficult for her to start a practice in the United States.
42. What main obstacle almost destroyed her chances for becoming a doctor?
A. She was a woman.
B. She wrote too many letters.

- C. She couldn't graduate from medical school.
D. She couldn't establish her own school.
43. All of the following are 'first' in her life except
- A. she became the first female physician.
B. she was the first woman surgeon.
C. she founded the first hospital for women and children.
D. she established the first medical school for women.
44. Which of the following is true about Elizabeth?
- A. She started practising medicine professionally in England.
B. She got lots of encouragement from her family to pursue her education.
C. She gave up the idea of becoming a doctor when she went down with an eye disease.
D. As a determined person she finally realised her dream.
45. The word *further* is closest in meaning to.....
- A. continue B. pursue C. improve D. finish

Choose the word or phrase to fill each of the blanks to make a meaningful passage.

With the (46) of the motor car at the end of the last century a new era in personal transport was born. The early motorists had his problems _ the biggest one being (47) his vehicle would start or not. This problem has completely disappeared today, but others have taken its (48) More traffic and faster vehicles mean that however (49) may be, its driver has to have much greater driving skill than before.

Today's drivers can not neglect their own personal (50) for the accidents that happen on the road every year. A good driver has many things in his qualities. Some of them, (51) experience and skill, will come only (52), but attitude _ just as important _ must be part of him from the beginning. These qualities are a sense of responsibility for the safety of (53), a determination to focus on the job of driving, (54) and courtesy. Together, these become what is generally known as the driver's attitude.

(55), every driver must make a real effort to develop these qualities and this effort must start from the very beginning of the first driving lesson.

46. A. coming B. going C. driving D. getting
47. A. when B. how C. whether D. why

48. A. place B. part C. turn D. back
49. A. a safe and reliable car B. safe and reliable a car
C. a safe but reliable car D. safe but reliable a car
50. A. right B. responsibility C. fault D. concept
51. A. for instance B. apart from C. including D. as well as
52. A. on time B. from time to time
C. in one time D. in time
53. A. people B. men C. others D. themselves
54. A. the driver must be patient B. he needs some patience
C. patience D. be patient
55. A. Moreover B. Yet C. Therefore D. So far

Choose the underlined word or phrase (A, B, C or D) that needs correcting.

56. At the Olympic Games the female winners receive honours equal
A
with those given to the men who win.
B C D
57. Would these tall buildings of the future, skyscrapers so they are called, offer
A B C
more than a wonderful view?
D
58. Starting work and take a break to study when you are older is another possibility
A B C D
59. Getting qualifications help you to get more quickly in many careers, and
A B
evening classes allow you to learn while you earn.
C D
60. He was born blind, despite this disability he still succeeded to become one of
A B C
the top Pop singers of his generation.
D
61. I was kept last night awake by all the noise from a party in the flat above.
A B C D
62. The cost of living in our big cities have gone up considerably in the last few years
A B C
and as a result most people can't make ends meet.
D

63. The teacher asked us not to make noise for fear that disturbing the others
A B C
who were trying to concentrate on the test.

D

64. Our forests not only meet the demand for wood in our country but also bring for
A B C
considerable revenue to the state by the export of wood products.

D

65. By smoking they are not just risk their own lives, they are affecting the
A B C
health of those around them.

D

66. It is obvious that short stories of the writer Nguyen Nhat Anh are frequently on
A B C
the best seller list nowadays.

C

67. Those of us who have a family history of heart disease should make yearly
A B C
appointments with their doctors.

D

68. Provide pensions for the retired persons is the primary function of the social security.

A

B

C

D

69. The United States and Canada have many trade agreements that benefit together.

A B

C

D

70. There are more potatoes cultivated than any the other vegetable crop

A

B

C

D

throughout the world.

Choose the sentence (A, B, C or D) that has the same meaning to the one given.

71. "Thanks a lot for all you have done for us" he said.

A. He expressed his gratitude for what we had done for him.

B. He complimented us for what we had done for him.

C. He exclaimed that we had done a lot for him.

D. He pointed out that we had done a lot for him.

72. Trees were planted along the street, which was done to prevent noise.
- A. In order to prevent noise they planted trees along the street.
 - B. They planted trees along the street for noise.
 - C. By preventing noise they planted trees along the street.
 - D. all are correct.
73. What she earns in a month her husband earns in a week.
- A. She earns much more than her husband.
 - B. Her husband earns a little less than her.
 - C. She earns 4 times as much as her husband.
 - D. Her husband earns 4 times as much as her.
74. Tom would rather do without a car than pay all that money for one.
- A. Tom is soon going to buy a car.
 - B. Tom would never buy a car that costs so much.
 - C. Tom thinks the price is right but he can't afford it.
 - D. Tom thinks the price is too high but he must have the car.
75. The underground is 10 minutes late in leaving.
- A. The underground was due to leave 10 minutes ago.
 - B. 10 minutes ago the underground was leaving.
 - C. The underground will be leaving in 10 minutes later.
 - D. 10 minutes later the underground was leaving.

Choose the sentence (A, B, C or D) which is best written with the given words and phrases.

76. only / few / nations / world / export / diamond
- A. There are only a few nations in the world export diamonds.
 - B. Only a few nations in the world export diamonds.
 - C. There is only a few of nations in the world export diamond.
 - D. Only few of nations in the world export diamond.
77. tuition / American university / run / high / 20 thousand dollars / semester
- A. Tuition of American university runs so high as 20 thousand dollars in a semester.
 - B. Tuition for an American university runs high at 20 thousand dollars every semester.
 - C. Tuition at an American university runs as high as 20 thousand dollars a semester.
 - D. Tuition for an American university is running highly at 20 thousand dollars a semester.

78. School children / same grade / usually / same age / classmates

- A. School children in the same grade are usually the same age as their classmates.
- B. School children of the same grade are usually having the same age with their classmates.
- C. School children of the same grade have usually had the same age of their classmates.
- D. School children in the same grade are usually the same age to their classmates.

79. New York City / subway system/ longest underground railroad / operate/ world

- A. The New York City subway system is the longest underground railroad operating in the world.
- B. New York City subway system is one longest underground railroad operated in the world.
- C. New York City subway system is the longest underground railroad to operate in the world.
- D. The New York City's subway system is the longest underground railroad to be operated in the world.

80. A dancer / while always graceful / precise / moments / train / strenuously / as / any other athlete

- A. A dancer, while always graceful but precise in her moments, is trained strenuously as though any other athlete.
- B. A dancer, while always graceful and precise in her moments, trains as strenuously as any other athlete.
- C. A dancer, while always graceful yet precise in her moments, trains strenuously such as any other athlete.
- D. A dancer, while always graceful or precise in her moments, is trained strenuously as if any other athlete.

PRACTICE TEST 7

Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from that of the others

1. A. bear B. pear C. hear D. share
2. A. good B. shoot C. mood D. tool
3. A. lines B. tanks C. mamals D. persons
4. A. journey B. found C. south D. pound
5. A. coped B. thanked C. judged D. washed

Choose the word whose stress pattern is different from that of the other three.

6. A. honour B. moment C. perfume D. cancel
7. A. honey B. police C. admit D. technique
8. A. addition B. favourite C. specialty D. seasoning
9. A. advertise B. popular C. genius D. museum
10. A. available B. represent C. destructive D. direction

Choose the word or phrase that best fits the blank space in each sentence:

11. Like many other countries in the world, Vietnam is "on the".
A. progress B. start C. begin D. move
12. The bomb exploded with loud bang which could beall over the town.
A. sounded B. heard C. listened D. echoed
13. I'd like to buy a bracelet for my wife. What do you?
A. approve B. favor C. introduce D. recommend
14. What time is theon rubber trees tomorrow evening?
A. party B. seminar C. get-together D. festival
15. Have you handed in your job.....yet?
A. request B. beg C. application D. enquiry
16. The sheet of paper slipped.....his hand falling.....the ground.
A. off / upon B. off / onto C. from / down D. from / upon
17. She wasbreath after running all the way upstairs.
A. under B. out of C. without D. away from
18. Would you like tea or coffee? _ I'd have some tea.
A. like B. prefer C. rather D. better

19. Last week he called me twice when I was on my holiday so he got no reply.
This week he..... me up.
A. doesn't ring B. didn't ring C. hasn't rung D. won't ring
20. When I met Jim, heas a manager for a few years.
A. was working B. worked
C. had been working D. would work
21. The coach didn't let anyonethe teambefore the champion game.
A. to watch / to practise B. watch / to practise
C. to watch / practise D. watch / practise
22. Are you sure you told me? I don't recallabout it.
A. having told B. having been told
C. to have told D. to have been told
23. Don't move the books on the shelf. I'd prefer you.....them where they are.
A. leave B. to leave C. left D. wil leave
24. Shall we go to the theatre this evening?
A. We shall do B. We go C. Yes, let's D. You're going
25. My mother seldom goes to the theatre and.....
A. neither do I B. so do I C. I do to D. I do either
26. They were very to participate in the match.
A. eager B. embarrassed C. thrilling D. curious
27. Anyone whohis work won't be allowed to leave now.
A. haven't finished B. haven't been finished
C. has not finished D. has not been finished
28. Your hair is long. Are you going to?
A. have it cut B. have cut it
C. be cutting it D. have it cutting
29. I can carry only one of these two boxes. Please carry.....
A. another B. the other C. the others D. others
30. Marylazy preparing her lesson last night.
A. should be B. shouldn't be
C. should have been D. shouldn't have been
31. I've gotmoney now. I think you can ask Lyn for some.
A. only little B. very a little C. very little D. only a little
32. Finally they.....rescue the people trapped in the burning houses.
A. could be able to B. succeeded to
C. were able to D. can

33. During physicalmore oxygen has to be supplied to the body cells.
 A. act B. action C. activity D. reaction
34. What does he do for a living? Nothing. As a millionaire hework.
 A. must not B. shouldn't
 C. doesn't have to D. had better not
35. Last year I.....this fine print in the contracts, but now I can't.
 A. could read B. must have read
 C. should have read D. had to read
36. Is littering against the law?
 Yes, there's a law that says you..... throw trash on the streets.
 A. don't have to B must not C couldn't D might not
37. I was sitting next to a boy in the exam
 A. that I was told the answers B. whose answers told me
 C. whom I was told the answers D. who told the answers to me
38. These plants can only survive in an environmentextremely humid.
 A. where has B. where is C. which has D. which is
39. You should eat less and do more exercise. you won't lose weight.
 A. If only B. Otherwise C. Or D. Unless
40. While working in the garden,
 A. a snake attacked him B. a snake had attacked him
 C. he was attacked by a snake D. he had been attacked by a snake

Choose the word or phrase to fill each of the blanks to make a meaningful passage.

When you are driving abroad you should make sure that you have all your (41) with you. These (42)your passport, your driving license and insurance papers. It can be very (43) if you miss any of these or if you can not find them quickly. You must (44) make sure that your car has a nationality plate (45) the country where the car is registered, (46)..... GB for Great Britain, F for France, N for Norway and so on.

In some countries you have to pay if you don't (47)motoring laws and this sometimes cost you a lot of money. For instance, you (48)immediately if you are stopped by a police officer for taking (49)of traffic signs, speed limit or if you allow children under the age of twelve to (50).....in the front seat of a vehicle.

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| 41. | A papers | B certificates | C cards | D documents. |
| 42. | A. include | B. make | C. mean | D. contain |
| 43. | A. disadvantage | B. uncomfortable | C. inconvenient | D. displeasure |
| 44. | A. also | B. still | C. only | D. thus |
| 45. | A. to show | B. showed | C. shown | D. showing |
| 46. | A. for example | B. such as | C. as | D. including |
| 47. | A. obey | B. observe | C. follow | D. all are correct |
| 48. | A. may have paid | | B. may be paid | |
| | C. may have to pay | | D. may have been paid | |
| 49. | A. no notice | B. no attention | C. any notice | D. any attention |
| 50. | A. pass | B. travel | C. play | D. wait |

Read the passage below carefully and choose the correct answer (A, B, C, or D).

Thomas Edison is an example of gifted child who was very badly misunderstood. In fact, his teachers described young Thomas as “dull”. This is why Edison’s mother took him out of school and taught him at home.

The Edison home, by the way, was well stocked with all kinds of books. Nancy Edison tried to expose her son to as many different areas of knowledge as possible, but she especially encouraged him to spend most of his time on whatever really interested him. By his twelfth birthday, he was clearly interested in science, especially chemistry. She made sure he had all the necessary equipment and chemicals to conduct his experiments and he had all the science reference books that he needed.

Edison also gained a great deal from his father, a small but successful businessman. Samuel Edison was *characterized* by his ability to rescue whatever he could when his business failed so that any failure would become a learning experience. Edison also had this positive attitude. Once he carelessly allowed his lab stove go out in the middle of winter, which led to many expensive chemicals freezing. Instead of being angry he looked for ways to develop chemicals that could *withstand* sub-zero temperatures without being affected.

51. What did people think of Edison as a child?

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| A. He was extremely clever. | B. He was boring. |
| C. He had a confused mind. | D. He was a genius. |

52. How did Edison’s mother help him to develop his great mind?

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| A. She allowed him to develop his interest. |
| B. She showed him how to make scientific experiments. |

- C. She made him read literature.
D. She sent him to a good school.
53. How did Edison's father help him to become a successful scientist?
A. He helped him with his experiments.
B. He had a positive attitude.
C. He was a successful engineer.
D. He set a good example for Edison to follow.
54. The main reason for the success in his career is
A. He attended schools with flexible curriculum.
B. He excelled in Maths.
C. He worked very hard to achieve his target.
D. His home environment helped him develop his talents.
55. The word *characterize* is closest in meaning to
A. identify B. recognise C. realise D. appreciate

62. During the drought all the animals, both hunter and prey, put aside its differences

A

B

and shared whatever water available in peace.

C

D

63. We want to encourage all our students to participate fully in the running

A

B

C

D

their classes as well as their college.

64. When industry became very important than agriculture in American life,

A

B

C

there was a tendency that families became smaller.

D

65. Soccer was considered a noisy and rough game, and for a long time most officials

A

B

C

in America tried abolishing it.

D

66. Some metals such as gold, silver, copper and tin occur naturally and easy to work.

A

B

C

D

67. Because the expense of traditional fuels and the concern that they might run out,

A

B

C

many countries have been investigating alternative sources of power.

D

68. Many burglaries are reported in December on the outskirts of Saigon city

A

B

than during any other month.

C

D

69. The tendency to develop cancer can be decreased by increasing the number

A

B

C

of fruit and vegetables in the diet.

D

70. It is estimated that only 17 in 100 business calls get through to the correct

A

B

C

person on the first try.

D

Choose the sentence (A, B, C or D) that has the same meaning to the one given.

71. Mary might have phoned while we were out.
- A. Unfortunately we were out when Mary phoned.
 - B. Mary ought to have phoned while we were out.
 - C. Possibly Mary phoned while we were out.
 - D. Certainly Mary phoned while we were out.
72. "Why don't you phone Tom and see if he's free today?" said the man to his wife.
- A. The man asked his wife why she didn't phone Tom and see if he was free that day.
 - B. The man asked his wife not to phone Tom and see if he was free that day.
 - C. The man suggested that his wife should phone Tom and see if he was free that day.
 - D. The man suggested his wife not phoning Tom and see if he was free that day.
73. Only by introducing automatic sorting could the Post Office speed up the delivery of mail
- A. So as to speed up the delivery of mail the Post Office introduced automatic sorting.
 - B. Automatic sorting was introduced due to the speeding up of the delivery of mail.
 - C. After introduce automatic sorting the delivery of mail is faster.
 - D. Introduced by automatic sorting the Post Office can deliver mail rapidly.
74. There is more traffic in town than ever before.
- A. There has never been as much traffic in town.
 - D. There was more traffic in town.
 - C. The total amount of traffic in town is decreasing.
 - D. The total amount of traffic in town was much greater.
75. If you find your home noisy, try a library instead.
- A. Instead of going to a library, come back home to avoid noise.
 - B. You find a library as noisy as your house after trying to study in it.
 - C. You should try studying in a library instead of your noisy house.
 - D. You find that noise comes from your home, not a library.

Choose the sentence (A, B, C or D) which is best written with the given words and phrases.

76. some ancient units / day / foot / pound / still / use / today

- A. Some ancient units such as the day, the foot, and the pound, are still in use today.
- B. Some ancient units of day, foot, and pound, are still used today.
- C. Some ancient units like the day, the foot, and the pound, still use today.
- D. Some ancient units about the day, the foot, and the pound, are still in use today.

77. PTA / group of parents and teachers / support / school / fund-raising / other activities

- A. The PTA, a group of parents and teachers, is supported by the school in fund-raising and other activities.
- B. The PTA is a group of parents and teachers in order to support the school by fund-raising and other activities.
- C. The PTA, group of parents and teachers whose support for the school is fund-raising and other activities.
- D. The PTA is a group of parents and teachers who support the school by fund-raising and other activities.

78. Much / love / little dog / she / showed / little / emotion / it died

- A. Much as her love for the little dog but she showed a little of emotion when it died.
- B. Much as she loved her little dog yet she showed little emotion when it died.
- C. Much as she loved her little dog she showed little emotion when it died.
- D. Much as her love for her little dog though she showed a little of emotion when it died.

79. Dew / usually / disappear / 7 o'clock / morning / sun / come up

- A. Dew is usually disappeared at 7 o'clock in the morning when the sun comes up.
- B. Dew usually disappears by 7 o'clock in the morning when the sun comes up.
- C. Dew usually disappears by 7 o'clock in the morning when the sun will come up.
- D. Dew usually disappears at 7 o'clock in the morning while the sun will be coming up.

34. Next year is our parents' 25th wedding anniversary. They married for 25 years.
 A. are B. have been C. will be D. will have been
35. If he more careful, the accident wouldn't have happened.
 A. was B. were C. had been D. has been
36. The prices the shop during the sale not really low.
 A. offers / is B. offers / are C. offer / is D. offer / are
37. Mary is of the 4 sisters.
 A. as young B. younger C. the youngest D. youngest
38. She seldom eats out and
 A. so does he B. he does too
 C. neither does he D. he does either
39. Jack worked hard though his parents were rich,?
 A. didn't he B. weren't they C. did he D. were they
40. of the students has to bring his own books to school everyday.
 A. Each B. Every C. All D. all are correct

Choose the word or phrase to fill each of the blanks to make a meaningful passage.

The only way to check your memory (41)..... the fact in print. Events take (42)..... so fast today and life changes so rapidly that you must be able to read efficiently to (43)..... what is going on.

Reading offers you a(n) (44)..... to study, review and master facts in order to become (45)..... and knowledgeable. But you must be an efficient reader to get the more benefit (46)..... you read. Better reading will help you to lead a (47)..... life. If you seldom read books, you are only partly (48)..... . You are missing out on a world that is filled with adventures.

Through books you can go exploring under the sea or far down inside the earth's cave. You can (49)..... in the great events of the past. You can look around the corner into the future. You can enjoy the adventures of travelling, too, all while you are sitting in your (50)..... easy chair.

41. A. to be read and rereading B. reads and rereads
 C. is to read and reread D. to read and reread
42. A. shape B. form C. type D. appearance
43. A. keep in touch with B. keep pace with
 C. get accustomed to D. get advantage over

44. A. occasion B. circumstance C. chance D. condition
45. A. well-informing B. well-informed
C. informed well D. informing well
46. A. from which B. where C. from what D. which
47. A. more interesting and fuller B. fuller and more interesting
C. more full and interesting D. more interesting and full
48. A. living B. alive C. live D. all are correct
49. A. understand B. participate C. come D. know
50. A. popular B. favorite C. own D. common

Read the passage below carefully and choose the correct answer (A, B, C, or D).

Disney World was constructed a decade ago on 27,400 acres of partially swamp land in central Florida. Eight thousand of these acres *constitutes* a wildlife sanctuary not accessible to the 130 million people from around the world who have been to Disney since its opening.

The park opens at 9 a.m. and shuts down at various hours, depending upon the time of year _ 6, 9, or midnight. On a busy day as many as 90,000 visitors may be in the park, but there are so many activities available that there is plenty of room for everyone. The magic Kingdom is the main section, but there are hotels, restaurants, a lagoon and a huge lake with 4 and a half miles of beaches where visitors swim and paddle around in rented boats.

51. Disney World was opened
- A. last year B. currently C. 10 years ago D. a decent time ago
52. Disney World has many water attractions because
- A. the Florida weather is favourable for water sports.
B. it was built on wet land.
C. visitors like to swim and and rent boats.
D. they are profitable business.
53. There are 90,000 visitors in Disney World
- A. daily during the holidays like Thankgivings and Christmas.
B. weekly when the park is busy.
C. normally when the weather is pleasant.
D. daily throughout the year.
54. When there are 90,000 people in the park
- A. people have to wait in lines to get into the attractions
B. there are not enough restaurants to feed all of them

- C. the lake shore is too small to accommodate swimmers
- D. the best thing to do is to rent a boat to get away from the crowds

55. The word *constitute* is closest in meaning to.....

- A. form
- B. save
- C. protect
- D. preserve

Choose the sentence (A, B, C or D) that has the same meaning to the one given.

56. I asked her to come back to her seat as I didn't want her to tell anything to the press.

- A. So as not to say anything to the press I asked her to come back to her seat.
- B. To stop her from telling anything to the press I asked her to come back to her seat.
- C. I told her not to tell anything to the press and come back to her seat.
- D. She was asked to come back to her seat and tell anything to the press.

57. "I'm very pleased at how things have turned out" she said to her employees.

- A. She asked her employees how things had turned out and was pleased to know it.
- B. She complimented her employees for making things turn out.
- C. She expressed her satisfaction with the way things had turned out.
- D. She wanted her employees to tell her how many things had turned out.

58. No other states in the USA can produce as many oranges as California.

- A. Of all the states in the USA California can produce more.
- B. Other states in the USA can't produce oranges and neither can California.
- C. California is the largest producer of oranges in the USA.
- D. Compared with other states in the USA California is not a great producer of oranges.

59. The boy's motorbicycle was stolen when he left it outside the bookshop.

- A. Leaving it outside the bookshop the boy's motorbicycle was stolen.
- B. The boy had his motorbike stolen when leaving it outside the bookshop.
- C. The boy's stolen motorbike was left outside the shop.
- D. Outside the shop was a motorbike the boy had stolen.

60. The artist's job in the beginning is not unlike the job of a writer.

- A. The artist's job in the beginning is very different from the job of a writer.
- B. The jobs of artists and writers are identical.
- C. In the beginning the job of artists and writers are similar.
- D. In the beginning the job of an artist is not like the job of a writer.

Choose the underlined word or phrase (A, B, C or D) that needs correcting.

61. Janet is finally used to cook on an electric stove after having a gas one for years.

A B C D

62. After a couple of hours Stuart stopped to write the essay because he had to leave for work.

D

63. Each of the students in the accounting class has to type their own research paper in this semester.

A B C D

64. After having dressed and ate breakfast, Lucy rushed off to her office for a meeting.

A B C D

65. His aunt always bought him some chocolate everytime when she came to visit him.

A B C D

66. Cutting down of rain forests is destroying not only rare plants but wildlife as well.

A B C D

67. I wonder if you could possible take me to the station on the morning of Monday, June 5th.

A B C D

68. He had difficulty to accept the cut in salary as he was a father of a large family.

A B C D

69. I've never been heard a more amusing story than this one.

A B C D

70. Dogs are believed to have been one of the most faithful pets.

A B C D

71. Originally having been buried in Spain and later moved to Santo Domingo in the Dominican Republic, Columbus's final resting place is in Andalusia in Spain.

A B C

D

72. To prevent cavities, dental floss should be used daily after brushing one's teeth.

A B C D

73. How many musical notes of the 11,000 tones that the human ear can distinguish there are in the musical scale?

A B C

D

74. Not one in a hundred seeds develop into a healthy plant, even under

A

B

C

D

laboratory condition.

75. To remove stains from permanent press clothing, carefully soaking in cold

A

B

C

water before washing with a regular detergent.

D

Choose the sentence (A, B, C or D) which is best written with the given words and phrases.

76. very / few / airports / United States / modern / as that / Atlanta

A. Very few airports in the United States are as modern as that of Atlanta.

B. Very a few airports in the United States are more modern as that Atlanta.

C. Very few of airports in the United States are moderner as that in Atlanta.

D. Very a few of the airports in the United States are as modern as that of Atlanta.

77. both / term paper / final exam / often require / college class

A. Both a term paper as well as a final exam have often required for a college class.

B. Both a term paper and a final exam are often required for a college class.

C. Both term paper and final exam as well is often required for a college class.

D. Both a term paper and also a final exam has often required for a college class

78. nine / every ten people / world / live / country / they / born

A. Nine in every ten people in the world living in the country where they were born in.

B. Nine in every ten people in the world living in the country which they were born.

C. Nine of every ten people in the world live in the country where they were born.

D. Nine of every ten people in the world live in the country in that they were born.

79. while / try / build / tunnel / the mountain / workmen / discovered coal / construction site

- A. While trying building a tunnel across the mountain, workmen discovered coal at the construction site.
 - B. While tried to build a tunnel through the mountain, workmen would discover coal at the construction site.
 - C. While trying to build a tunnel through the mountain, workmen discovered coal at the construction site.
 - D. While tried building a tunnel through the mountain, workmen may be discovered coal at the construction site.
80. read literature / introduce / different culture / 2 excellent reasons / study / foreign language
- A. To read literature and introduce to a different culture are 2 excellent reasons in studying a foreign language.
 - B. To read literature and to introduced to a different culture have 2 excellent reasons to study a foreign language.
 - C. To read literature and being introduced to a different culture have 2 excellent reasons for studying a foreign language.
 - D. To read literature and be introduced to a different culture are 2 excellent reasons for studying a foreign language.

PRACTICE TEST 9

Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from that of the others.

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|---------------|------------|----------------|------------|
| 1. A. miles | B. sleeps | C. laughs | D. unlocks |
| 2. A. enjoyed | B. laughed | C. wrapped | D. looked |
| 3. A. honest | B. honour | C. heir | D. history |
| 4. A. share | B. affair | C. whether | D. square |
| 5. A. tobacco | B. golden | C. appropriate | D. solid |

Choose the word whose stress pattern is different from that of the other three.

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| 6. A. assist | B. wonder | C. resist | D. insist |
| 7. A. accountant | B. computer | C. marvelous | D. injection |
| 8. A. careless | B. dentist | C. research | D. motion |
| 9. A. accomplish | B. opponent | C. accurate | D. technician |
| 10. A. traditional | B. locality | C. exceptional | D. mathematics |

Choose the word or phrase that best fits the blank space in each sentence.

11. no need how it works; I'll read the instruction book.
A. There's / to explain B. There's / explaining
C. It's / to explain D. It's / explaining
12. saying was so important that I asked everyone to stop talking and listen.
A. What the woman was B. The woman was
C. That the woman was D. what was the woman
13. He's been very sick. His doctor insisted that hein bed this week.
A. will stay B. would stay C. stay D. stays
14. He does badly in school his inability to concentrate on any one thing for longer than a minute.
A. as B. due to C. because D. therefore
15. Hurry! We've got to leave the house immediately;, we'd miss the opening ceremony.
A. unless B. otherwise C. in case D. all are correct
16. Winning a lottery is a rare occurrence. number of winners very small.
A. A / is B. The / is C. A / are D. The / are

17. The dinner with him was boring. He talked only about himself, almost put us to sleep.
 A. which B. who C. that D. that he
18. Alice, you the fish into the refrigerator before it spoils.
 A. had better put B. had to put
 C. would rather put D. may put
19. Where's Mary? She
 A. has in her room studied B. in her room has studied
 C. is in her room studying D. in her room is studying
20. What's that machine? A fax. It's a machine by which over the telephone line.
 A. written messages can be sent B. written messages can send them
 C. can send written messages D. can be sent written messages
21. Most of the teachers have arrived, and I'm sure that..... will be here soon.
 A. them all B. the others all C. all others D. all of the others
22. They come from a country..... history goes back thousands of years.
 A. its B. the C. whose D. where
23. The attendance was so great that there were..... seats left.
 A. few B. some C. a few D. many
24. Take an umbrellait rains this evening.
 A. unless B. when C. in case D. due to
25. The main attraction of the job.....the opportunity to do research.
 A. was offered B. was that it offered
 C. that was offered D. was that offered
26. If you walk along this lane you'll see the signpost.....to the beach.
 A. to point B. pointed C. pointing D. points
27.he had a quarrel with his girlfriend I made a mistake of inviting them both to the party.
 A. Not having known B. Not being known
 C. Not to have known D. Not to be known
28.they are identical twins their teacher can easily distinguish between them.
 A. Even if B. As if C. Only if D. If only
29.the palace was finally restored to its origin splendour.
 A. Though badly damaged by the fire
 B. Though the bad damage for the fire

- C. Though badly damaging the fire
D. Though the bad damage to the fire
30. I'm just.....as you are to make this company successful.
A. determined B. so determined
C. as determined D. very determined
31. It's myto do gardening.
A. hobby B. free time C. like D. character
32. After the appointment of the new manager the worked more effectively.
A. staff B. crews C. committees D. candidates
33. You can have my pet while I'm on holiday, but you have to it.
A. take notice of B. look after C. be careful of D. keep touch with
34. The doctor took one look at me and said that I was overweight.
A. perfectly B. accurately C. certainly D. continuously
35. Smoking is a habit that is hard to
A. break B. give up C. quit D. all are correct
36. Try and see things from my point of view, and be a bit more
A. reasonable B reasoning C. reason D. reasonably
37. There were 50in the talent contest.
A. competitors B. examinees C. customers D. interviewees
38. It was a complete.....due to poor planning.
A. success B. cause C. failure D. imagination
39. All the members were dissatisfied the decision.
A. with B. at C. for D. in
40.I warm the food for you?
A. Will B. Could C. Shall D. Would

Choose the word or phrase to fill each of the blanks to make a meaningful passage

As we all know, football is an exciting game. I've been a football fan (41)..... I was a boy and my father (42)..... take me to watch the matches. In these days, there were only two or three policemen to look after a crowd of 20,000 people. (43)..... there are a whole army of them, with squad cars, walkie-talkie radios to keep that number (44).....

In these circumstances, it is not surprising that psychologists and sociologists want to ban football matches. But I don't think these experts have attended many football matches recently. (45)..... the phenomenon in Britain is very different from (46).....it is abroad. What the experts, and most foreigners, can not understand is that it isn't the match or the result that produces the (47)..... They suppose that spectators get angry because their team is losing, and in many countries, violence tends (48)..... at the referee or the visiting team. But in Britain, some people, (49)..... they say they support, come determined to make trouble, (50)..... the result.

41. A. as B. since C. when D. just as
42. A. would B. could C. had to D. might
43. A. However B. Recently C. Soon D. Nowadays
44. A. in public B. under control C. in order D. at average
45. A. It is the fact that B. The fact is that
C. both are correct D. both are incorrect
46. A. why B. how C. what D. whether
47. A. violence B. quarrel C. fight D. strike
48. A. to direct B. directing C. to be directed D. being directed
49. A. the team which B. which team
C. whichever team D. the team
50. A. instead of B. contrary to C. regardless D. concerning

Read the passage below carefully and choose the correct answer (A, B, C, or D).

* The condition of your heart is directly related to the amount of stress you regularly experience. Be aware of stress in your life and train yourself to counteract its *disastrous* effects. These are some of the deliberate steps you may take to reduce stress.

_ Enjoy a lengthy vacation yearly. Don't take your work with you; forget all about the office.

_ Be certain that what you are doing is what you really want to do.

_ Face each challenge realistically. Don't attempt to do more each day than you possibly can do well.

_ You need to feel satisfied with your accomplishments daily.

_ Relax every evening and do the things you enjoy, whether this means strenuous exercise like tennis or curling up in a comfortable chair and reading a mystery.

51. The purpose of this passage is to
- A. show the effects of stress upon the heart
 - B. describe the symptoms of stress
 - C. help you reduce stress
 - D. encourage you to reduce your work load
52. One of the causes of stress is
- A. loving your work
 - B. playing tennis too strenuously
 - C. attempting to do more than is possible
 - D. a heart condition
53. The passage says that.....
- A. strenuous exercise can damage your heart
 - B. your heart can create stress
 - C. reading a mystery can create stress
 - D. whatever you do you will regularly encounter stress
54. The passage says that the first thing to do about stress is to.....
- A. ignore it because it can be reduced
 - B. talk to your boss about vacation
 - C. do things you like to do
 - D. be aware of its existence in your life
55. The word *disastrous* is closest in meaning to
- A. profound
 - B. terrible
 - C. widespread
 - D. unexpected

Choose the sentence (A, B, C or D) that has the same meaning to the one given.

56. I am used to studying for exams in the library.
- A. I always study for exams in the library.
 - B. I never studied in the library.
 - C. I don't study for exams in the library.
 - D. In the past I went to the library to study for exams.
57. He used to ride and swim a lot.
- A. He doesn't ride and swim as much as before.
 - B. He doesn't ride and swim anymore.
 - C. He always rides and swims a lot.
 - D. He rides and swims more than ever before.

58. You should tell your father exactly what you have done.
 A. Your father ought to tell exactly what to do.
 B. Your father had better tell you what to do.
 C. Were I you I would tell my father what I have done.
 D. Tell your father exactly what he should have done.
59. Nobody who was at the meeting will say anything to the press.
 A. The press said that nobody came to the meeting.
 B. The people present at the meeting will say nothing to the press.
 C. At the meeting nobody will say anything to the press.
 D. Those who didn't attend the meeting will say nothing to the press.
60. At the factory he likes people to let him have his own way.
 A. He doesn't like it when people tell him what to do.
 B. He often needs the help of other people in his work.
 C. He doesn't accept help from people he dislikes.
 D. He likes people to think all good ideas are his own.

Choose the underlined word or phrase (A, B, C or D) that needs correcting.

61. Smoking cigarettes make me cough a lot but I can't give it up.
 A B C D
62. The president, as well as his bodyguards were killed in the plane crash a few weeks ago.
 A B C D
63. Although I have complained a lot about their service but nothing changes.
 A B C D
64. What I have told you shouldn't repeat to anyone, even to your parents.
 A B C D
65. We now know a lot about the Universe than we did 10 years ago.
 A B C D
66. They suggested to go on a picnic that weekend despite the weather
 A B C D
67. Students are not allowed using dictionaries while they are sitting for an exam.
 A B C D
68. Last week a sister of mine sent me some money I have asked for.
 A B C D
69. She hardly thought for a minute that she will win the next competition.
 A B C D

70. On hearing the news all the children were so excited to sit still.

A

B

C

D

71. Nowadays, Rock music is becoming not only popular in the United States but also

A

B

C

in any countries in the world.

D

72. I forgot to return the books I had borrowed from the library last semester

A

B

C

and neither did she.

D

73. Ice skating and to go skiing, which cost almost nothing, are popular winter

A

B

C

sports in the northern United States.

D

74. A new product should be judged not by the promises made in advertisements

A

B

but also by the results demonstrated in actual use.

C

D

75. Some international students use a cassette recorder to make tapes of their

A

B

classes so that they can repeat the lectures again.

C

D

Choose the sentence (A, B, C or D) which is best written with the given words and phrases.

76. people / competitive / more likely / suffer / effects / stress / health

A. People are competitive and more likely suffering by the effects of stress for their health.

B. People, competitive and more likely, suffer from the effects of stress on their health.

C. People are competitive and more likely to be suffered from the effects of stress for their health.

D. People who are competitive are more likely to suffer from the effects of stress on their health.

77. color / star / depend / heat / energy / produce

A. The color of a star depends on the heat and the energy it produces.

B. The color from a star is depended on the heat and the energy to produce.

- C. **The color** of a star that depends on the heat and the energy produces.
D. **The color** star depends on the heat and the energy it produces.
78. world / **hunger** / one / most urgent problems / we / face today
- A. **World hunger** is one of the most urgent problems that we face them today.
B. **The world's** hunger is one of the most urgent problems of which we are faced today.
C. **World's** hunger _ one of the most urgent problems _ do we face today.
D. **World hunger** is one of the most urgent problems that we face today.
79. when / **person** / arrest, police / must let / him / make / one phone call
- A. **When a person** is arrested, the police must let him make one phone call.
B. **When a person** has arrested, the police must let him to make one phone call.
C. **When a person** arrested, the police must let him making one phone call.
D. **When a person** was arrested, the police must let him made one phone call.
80. If / **owner** / bar / suspect / someone's identification / not valid / refuse / serve / order
- A. **If the owner** of a bar suspects that someone's identification is not valid and then refuses to serve the order.
B. **If the owner** of a bar suspects that someone's identification does not valid, he can refuse serving his order.
C. **If the owner** of a bar suspects that someone's identification is not valid, he can refuse to serve the order.
D. **If the owner** of a bar suspected that someone's identification may not valid, so he can refuse to serve the order.

PRACTICE TEST 10

Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from that of the others.

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|----|---------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|
| 1. | A. tooth | B. depth | C. <u>th</u> ough | D. length |
| 2. | A. wo <u>r</u> ld | B. wo <u>r</u> k | C. swo <u>r</u> d | D. wo <u>r</u> d |
| 3. | A. pa <u>s</u> sage | B. pen <u>s</u> ion | C. tra <u>d</u> ition | D. pre <u>s</u> sure |
| 4. | A. ga <u>r</u> age | B. lugga <u>g</u> e | C. marria <u>g</u> e | D. messa <u>g</u> e |
| 5. | A. wo <u>r</u> ry | B. hu <u>r</u> ry | C. se <u>r</u> vant | D. lu <u>c</u> ky |

Choose the word whose stress pattern is different from that of the other three.

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| 6. | A. surprise | B. report | C. advise | D. fertile |
| 7. | A. govern | B. chapter | C. section | D. decide |
| 8. | A. usually | B. natural | C. pagoda | D. weapon |
| 9. | A. enormous | B. destructive | C. previous | D. abnormal |
| 10. | A. purity | B. interpreter | C. imperfection | D. education |

Choose the word or phrase that best fits the blank space in each sentence.

11. Hello, Pat ! I phone to ask you are doing anything this Saturday.
A. what B. if C. that D. all are correct
12. I'm worried about something, I usually go to sleep instantly.
A. Because B. When C. Unless D. However
13. What for the past hour?
A. have you been doing B. are you doing
C. were you doing D. had you been doing
14. Why me? If I had known you were ill, I would have come to see you.
A. don't you call B. didn't you call
C. won't you call D. can't you call
15. Many people take a shower in the morning I usually take one before bed.
A. yet B. when C. while D. so
16. Is it wrong for women have children to work outside the home?
A. they B. whose C. to D. who
17. We have studied your suggestion carefully, but can't see in ... way it differs from ours.
A. a B. the C. what D. our

18. I've been looking for a cup the one I broke.
 A. matching B. matched C. to match D. matches
19. You to drive. I'm too inexperienced for such traffic.
 A. should B. had better C. would rather D. ought
20. have been about 10 accidents in here this year. Be careful !
 A. We B. They C. There D. You
21. When we arrived at the..... he had been taken to hospital.
 A. place B. scene C. view D. area
22. You will see I am right if you look over the matter from my
 A. point of view B. opinion C. idea D. plan
23. Older people rarelyof the habits of the younger generation.
 A. agree B. accept C. admit D. approve
24. This house is builtbricks, closethe village market.
 A. by / at B. with / to C. by / to D. with / at
25. This matter is very..... Don't discuss it outside the office.
 A. secret B. complex C. important D. well-known
26. She has one of the biggestin Vietnam.
 A. collectors B. collections C. collect D. collecting
27. I'm not saying he is but he is not very good with money.
 A. honest B. honesty C. dishonest D. dishonesty
28. We have those families with food.
 A. provided B. given C. sold D. offered
29. When coming to the office I was told to do it at once though I wasafter a long walk.
 A. excited B. exhausted C. anxious D. curious
30. I am afraid I your book.
 A. lose B. lost C. have lost D. had lost
31. We always have a bed ready in the spare room visitors arrive unexpectedly.
 A. because B. in case C. because of D. in case of
32. It was worth..... 2 hours in line for the tickets.
 A. to wait B. wait C. waiting D. waited
33. Excuse me, please. Do you knowa bus stop near here?
 A. is there B. there is C. if it is D. if there is
34. Sorry about the mistakes, I misunderstood the instruction you gave me.
 A. when B. which C. what D. who

35. Thank you for inviting medinner tomorrow night.
 A. with B. of C. in D. for
36. My little sister finds it easy to herself.
 A. wear B. dress C. put on D. all are correct
37. He was told to get the bus because he could not pay the fare.
 A. out B. out of C. of D. off
38. We were lucky to get the tickets for the firstof the new opera.
 A. publication B. operation C. action D. performance
39. This book is cheap.
 A. surprise B. surprised C. surprising D. surprisingly
40. The weather was terrible, so we had a very holiday.
 A. pleasant B. unpleasant C. pleasure D. displeasure

Choose the word or phrase to fill each of the blanks to make a meaningful passage.

Environmental pollution is a term that refers to all the ways in (41).... man pollutes his surroundings. Man dirties the air with gases and smoke, (42).... the water with chemicals and other substances, and damages the soil with (43)..... fertilizers and pesticides. Man also pollutes his surroundings in various ways, (44)....., people ruin natural beauty by scattering junk and litter on the land and in the water. They operate machines and motor-vehicles that fill the air with disturbing (45).....

Environmental pollution is one of the most serious problems (46)..... mankind today. Air, water and soil are necessary to (47) of all living things. (48)..... air can cause illness and even death. Polluted water kills fish and other marine life. Pollution of soil reduces the amount of land that is (49)..... for growing food. Environmental pollution also (50)..... ugliness to man's beautiful nature.

41. A. that B. which C. why D. how
42. A. pours B. wastes C. poisons D. mixes
43. A. a great deal of B. a great amount of
 C. too much D. too many
44. A. moreover B. for example C. however D. as a result
45. A. noise B. smell C. pollutants D. chemicals
46. A. to face B. face C. faced D. facing
47. A. survivors B. survive C. the survival D. survived
48. A. Bad pollution B. Bad polluted C. Badly polluted D. Badly pollution

49. A. able B. capable C. available D. probable
50. A. takes B. brings C. makes D. does

Read the passage below carefully and choose the correct answer A, B, C, or D

Up to about 1915 movies were short and the programs were made up of several works. Then, D.W.Griffith began to make longer films which provided the same powerful emotional appeal as did melodrama and presented spectacles far beyond what the theater could offer. Consequently, after World War I increasing numbers of spectators deserted the theater for the movies. *This tendency was sped in the late 1920s* as a result of 2 elements. In 1927 sound was added to the previously silent films and thus one of the theater's principal claims to superiority *vanished*. In 1929 a serious economic depression began.

Since audiences could go to the movies for a small part of what it cost to see a play, theatergoing became a luxury which few could afford, especially as the depression deepened.

By the end of World War II, the American theater had been reduced to about 30 theaters in New York City and a small number of touring companies originating there.

51. One thing that movies could do better than the theater was that movies provide.....

- A. longer program B. emotional appeal
C. more melodrama D. greater spectacles

52. One thing that made people choose the movies over the theater was.....

- A. World War I
B. the fact that films were less expensive
C. the fact that films were silent
D. the fact that films were shorter

53. By the end of World War II

- A. theater had become entertainment for the masses
B. the theater was no longer considered a luxury
C. professional theatrical performances were limited to New York City
D. there were no theatrical performances outside of New York City

54. When the author says "*This tendency was sped in the late 1920s*" he means that.....

- A. many more people went to the theater than to the movies
B. the shift away from the movies to the theater was slowed down

- C. the popularity of the theater was gradually increasing
D. the shift away from the theater to the movies was sped up
55. The word *vanish* is closest in meaning to
- A. reduce B. disappear C. prohibit D. limit

Choose the sentence (A, B, C or D) that has the same meaning to the one given.

56. It is against the rules to park your car here.
- A. According to the rules one can park his car here.
B. The rules says that you are against parking here.
C. You mustn't park here.
D. Parking your car is not allowed by the rules.
57. It's a shame you didn't tell me earlier.
- A. You should be ashamed of not telling me earlier.
B. I wish you had told me earlier.
C. It's shameful that you didn't tell me earlier.
D. You were ashamed to tell me earlier.
58. The last time I played tennis was ten years ago.
- A. It's 10 years since I have played tennis.
B. I last played tennis 10 years ago.
C. I haven't played tennis for 10 years.
D. all are correct.
59. Her career as a fashion model began 3 years ago but now she's one of the top 10.
- A. She has worked as a fashion model for 3 years.
B. She used to work as a fashion model 3 years ago.
C. As a fashion model she had her career for 3 years.
D. As one of the top 10 she could have her career lasting for 3 years.
60. John asked Mary if it was the blue one or the green she wanted.
- A. "Which one did she want, the blue or the green, Mary?" asked John
B. "Which one did you want, the blue or the green?" asked John
C. "Which one does Mary want, the green or the blue?" asked John
D. "Which one do you want, the blue or the green, Mary?" asked John

Choose the underlined word or phrase (A, B, C or D) that needs correcting.

61. Recently scientists have become extremely worrying about the world's population.

A B C D

62. Man is trying to solve the problem of larger population to require more and more food.

A B C D

63. It smells as perfume. One of you must be wearing too much.

A B C D

64. Would you like if I opened the window? It's too hot in here.

A B C D

65. Each of us should do everything possible to keep our environment cleanly.

A B C D

66. Collecting stamps from foreign countries are one of my father's interests.

A B C D

67. Only Mary, my little sister, can have whichever she asks for.

A B C D

68. The children prefer playing with sand on the beach more than swimming in the sea.

A B C D

69. You are not allowed voting in England under the age of 18.

A B C D

70. Not to make her disappointed we didn't tell the bad news to Ann.

A B C D

71. Canada does not require that US citizens obtain passports to enter country and neither does Mexico.

D

72. Fast-food restaurants have become popular so many working people want to eat quickly and cheaply.

A B C

D

73. The examiner made us show our identification in order be admitted to the test center.

A B C D

74. The prices at chain stores are reasonable, if not more reasonable as those

A B C D

At supermarkets.

75. As every other nation the United States used to define its unit of currency, the dollar, in terms of the gold standard.

A B C

D

Choose the sentence (A, B, C or D) which is best written with the given words and phrases.

76. those / us / smoke / have / lungs / x-ray / regularly

- A. Those of us who smoke should have our lungs x-rayed regularly.
- B. Those of us smoke and have the lungs x-ray regularly.
- C. Those of us who smoke and have the lungs x-rayed regularly.
- D. Those of us smoke and so have our lungs x-ray regularly.

77. condition / mankind / improve / recent technological advances

- A. Condition of mankind has improved recent technological advances.
- B. Condition of mankind has been improving recent technological advances.
- C. Condition of mankind has improved by recent technological advances.
- D. Condition of mankind has been improved by recent technological advances.

78. almost all / life / depend / chemical reactions / oxygen / produce /energy

- A. Almost all of life is depended on chemical reactions to oxygen to produce the energy.
- B. Almost all life depends on the chemical reactions of oxygen for producing energy.
- C. Almost all life depends on chemical reactions to oxygen to produce energy.
- D. Almost all of our life is depended on chemical reactions of oxygen in the production of some energy.

79. necessary / one / meet / judge / before / sign / final papers / divorce

- A. It is necessary that one will have met his judge before he signs the final papers for the divorce.
- B. It is necessary that one meets with his judge before he signs the final papers for the divorce.
- C. It is necessary that one will meet a judge before signing the final papers for a divorce.
- D. It is necessary that one meet with a judge before signing the final papers for a divorce.

80. my father / old car / stolen last month / decide / buy / new

- A. My father who had his old car stolen last month decided to buy the new one.
- B. My father, whose old car was stolen last month, has decided to buy a new one.
- C. My father, his old car was stolen last month, has decided buying a new car.
- D. My father's old car was stolen last month, deciding to buy the new car.

PRACTICE TEST 11

Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from that of the others.

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|----|--------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| 1. | A. tw <u>in</u> | B. s <u>id</u> e | C. f <u>igh</u> t | D. arriv <u>e</u> |
| 2. | A. t <u>ow</u> n | B. sh <u>ou</u> t | C. c <u>oun</u> t | D. m <u>ow</u> |
| 3. | A. damag <u>e</u> | B. hesit <u>ate</u> | C. persu <u>ade</u> | D. sh <u>a</u> ke |
| 4. | A. engin <u>e</u> | B. fount <u>ain</u> | C. mount <u>ain</u> | D. maint <u>ain</u> |
| 5. | A. measur <u>e</u> | B. vis <u>ion</u> | C. pleasur <u>e</u> | D. pens <u>ion</u> |

Choose the word whose stress pattern is different from that of the other three.

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|-----|---------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|
| 6. | A. danger | B. pension | C. movement | D. success |
| 7. | A. decide | B. permit | C. enter | D. account |
| 8. | A. candidate | B. governor | C. establish | D. definite |
| 9. | A. conference | B. serious | C. examine | D. socialise |
| 10. | A. persuade | B. mango | C. master | D. lecture |

Choose the word or phrase that best fits the blank space in each sentence.

11. Next summer, we're.....a swimming pool built in our back garden.
A. making B. deciding C. setting D. having
12. Liverpool have only..... three goals so far in this season.
A. made B. hit C. scored D. entered
13. Due to bad weather, the picnic has been put.....until next Wednesday.
A. forward B. off C. out D. ahead
14. The World Cup is.....every four years.
A. had B. held C. made D. taken
15. A great.....for the World Cup Finals 2002 was built in Tokyo last year.
A. ground B. stage C. platform D. stadium
16. Micheal Owens hopes he'll be fit enough to.....the game tomorrow.
A. take part in B. take part of C. take place D. participate
17. Children..... good food if they are to be healthy.
A. have B. receive C. eat D. need
18. She got so.....while watching the match on TV that she began shouting.
A. exciting B. excited C. excitingly D. excitedly

19. I want some coffee but there was..... in the pot.
 A. any B. no C. none D. nothing
20. Be quiet! It's rude to.....people when they are speaking.
 A. interfere B. interrupt C. prevent D. introduce
21. Brian on the river bank when the accident happened.
 A. played B. was playing
 C. has played D. had been playing
22.the friends are looking for volunteers to help on Saturday.
 A. The moment B. In a moment C. At the moment D. For a moment
23. They so much noise that we haven't been able to sleep for weeks.
 A. always did B. always made
 C. are always making D. are always doing
24. "We hope that we will be able to \$800 for our plan" said the organizer.
 A. rise B. raise C. earn D. gather
25. Police think that children started the fire that burnt down that empty house.
 A. accidentally B. accident C. accidental D. accidented
26.the police arrived the robbers had escaped.
 A. By the time B. In time C. At the time D. Durind the time
27. There werewaiting at the platform where the train arrived.
 A. a hundreds of people B. hundreds of people
 C. a hundred of people D. hundred people
28. He has been Hue for 2 weeks and today he comes back to work.
 A. in B. at C. to D. for
29. After many years of hard work, he.....
 A. retired B. resigned C. applied D. released
30. Could you..... me a favour and lend me your notebook?
 A. help B. make C. give D. do
31. Peter and his sister can walkdistances.
 A. long equal B. long equally C. equal long D. equally long
32. They married for love butgot a divorce.
 A. at the end B. at last C. finally D. in the end
33. It wasthat we didn't feel like staying in.
 A. such a nice weather B. so nice a weather
 B. so nice weather D. such nice weather

34. The examinationI was successful lasted for 3 days.
 A. which B. that C. in which D. where
35. Tom His car is outside.
 A. should have come B. must have come
 C. could be coming D. had to come
36.is extremely important to children.
 A. Being taken care of B. Taking care of
 C. Being taken care D. Taking care
37. You deserve to be awarded for
 A. what you have done B. that you have done
 C. which you have done it D. what you have done it
38. We are lucky to have the footballer. Iffor him, we'd have lost the game.
 A. it weren't B. they weren't
 C. it hadn't been D. they hadn't been
39. While working in the garden,
 A. his pants were torn off
 B. a branch fell down and hit his head
 C. he was attacked by a snake
 D. it took him nearly hours to transplant the tree
40. Not using a dictionary when she writes
 A. she always makes many spelling mistakes in her essay
 B. there are always many spelling mistakes in her essay
 C. her essay always has many spelling mistakes
 D. her teacher always finds many spelling mistakes in her essay

Choose the word or phrase to fill each of the blanks to make a meaningful passage.

Television may be a bad influence on children for three main reasons.

First of all, some programmes are (41).....for children to see. For example, there are many police stories on television. People (42).....with guns, knives and even cars. Some children might think that these things could happen to them at any time. Therefore, they can become frightened.

(43)....., some youngster might begin to think that violence is a normal part of life because they see it so often on television. They may begin to act out violence they see and (44).....or their playmates.

(45)....., television can affect children's reading ability. Reading requires skills and brain processes that watching television does not. If children watch television too many hours each day, they don't practise the skills they need to learn (46).....to read.

Finally, television may affect children's (47)..... in other ways. If they spend too much time watching television, they may get behind in their work. Also, if they stay up to watch a (48)....., they may fall (49).....in class the next day. Consequently, they will not learn their lessons, and they could (50)..... fail in school.

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| 41. | A. unimportant | B. inconvenient | C. unpopular | D. unsuitable |
| 42. | A. are killed | B. killed | C. are died | D. died |
| 43. | A. In addition | B. Moreover | C. Furthermore | D. all are correct |
| 44. | A. hurt them | | B. are hurt them | |
| | C. hurt themselves | | D. are hurt themselves | |
| 45. | A. Second | | B. Secondly | |
| | C. both are correct | | D. both are incorrect | |
| 46. | A. what | B. something | C. all | D. how |
| 47. | A. ability | B. schoolwork | C. health | D. activities |
| 48. | A. late film | | B. exciting game | |
| | C. good talk show | | D. fascinating cartoons | |
| 49. | A. asleep | B. sleepy | C. sleeping | D. slept |
| 50. | A. also | B. even | C. only | D. still |

Read the passage below carefully and choose the correct answer (A, B, C, or D).

Do you want to be slim? Do you worry about your family's health?

Then you should try Fruitibix, the new healthy fruit and nut biscuit. Fruitibix tastes wonderful, but it contains less sugar than most other biscuits. Each biscuit contains dried fruit and nuts, including apples, coconut and banana. Sometimes you feel like eating something between meals. Now, instead of having a chocolate bar, bite into a Fruitibix. It will keep you healthy.

At lunch time, instead of chips or hamburgers, have a Fruitibix. It contains all the essential foods for a balanced meal. And if you are in a hurry, and don't have time for a proper meal. Fruitibix will give you the energy to keep on going. So whenever your children ask for something sweet, give them Fruitibix instead of cakes or chocolates. They will love the taste and it won't harm their teeth. Discover Fruitibix. It's on your supermarket shelves now!

51. This is from

A. letter

B. a magazine

C. a student's notebook

D. an advertisement

52. The writer wants to

A. persuade people to buy a product. B. explain why people use this product.

C. give advice about healthy living. D. compare this with other food.

53. Why, in the writer's opinion, should people eat Fruitibix instead of chocolate?

A. Fruitibix tastes better than chocolates.

B. Fruitibix contains more fat than chocolate.

C. Fruitibix is cheaper and easier to eat than chocolate.

D. Fruitibix is healthier and less fattening than chocolate.

54. Why does the writer say that Fruitibix is useful when you are in a hurry?

A. You don't need to cook it.

B. You can buy Fruitibix every where.

C. It is as good as a proper meal.

D. It won't be harmful to your teeth.

55. Which of these people ought to buy Fruitibix?

A. Mrs Brown is looking for something special to serve for dessert at a dinner party she is giving for her boss and his wife.

B. Mr Green wants something to take with him to the office. He is going to be very busy tomorrow, and he thinks he might not have time for lunch.

C. Mr Taylor is going on a fishing trip and he wants to take something to eat with him. Some kinds of fruit, like bananas, make him feel sick, but he enjoys salty food.

D. Mrs Booth's baby daughter was ill yesterday. She is getting better now, but the doctor has advised Mrs Booth to give her liquid food without any sugar or salt in it.

Choose the sentence (A, B, C or D) that has the same meaning to the one given.

56. I think you should spend more time in your written work. That's what I'd do.

A. I usually spend more time in my written work and you do, too.

B. You should spend more time in your written work than in anything else.

C. Were I you, I'd spend more time in my written work.

D. What we should do is to spend more time in written work.

57. I expected my friends to arrive at about 4 o'clock. In fact, they arrived at 3:30.

A. My friends didn't arrive as early as I had expected.

B. My friends finally came hours earlier.

- C. I wished my friends would come early but they didn't.
- D. My friends could arrive some time earlier than expected.
58. She told me not to forget to send my parents her best wishes.
- A. She said that I wouldn't forget sending her best wishes to my parents.
- B. She wanted to send her regards to my parents.
- C. She didn't ask if I forgot to send my parents her best wishes.
- D. She doubted that I could ever forget to send her best wishes to my parents.
59. When I have to wait at the airport, I do a crossword to pass the time.
- A. To pass the time one can do a crossword while waiting at the airport.
- B. Having to wait at the airport a crossword helps a lot in passing the time
- C. Having to wait at the airport, doing a crossword helps me to while away the time.
- D. I do a crossword to while away the time while having to wait at the airport.
60. Thank goodness the doctor came just in time and saved Jim's life.
- A. Only if the doctor were to come could she save Jim's life.
- B. Jim would have died but the doctor came just in time.
- C. If it weren't for the doctor Jim could die.
- D. If only the doctor could come.

61. If you want to do well in the exam, you'll just have to do more of an effort.

62. Due to lack of experience I know I always make a lot of mistakes, but I

- really am making my best.

63. All the members of the film club met in the school hall. After they went into

- the dining room where they had tea and coffee.

64. Our team have had good results up to now. Out of the last 5 games in this

- season, this is the first game they **have been lost.**

65. The girl the party I will come has phoned me asking if I could come earlier
A B C
to help her welcome her guests.

D
66. There are those who make the mistake of saving one thing while they are,
A B C
without realizing it, wasting other.

D
67. His medical treatment seems to have had a serious affect on his mental state.
A B C D

68. I'm not sure my brother, now in his late thirties, will never get married
A B C
because he hates the feeling of being tied down.

D
69. Apart from giving the police general details of what was about to happen,
A B C
the witness could not provide some useful information.

D
70. I've met so many people in the last few days therefore I can't remember
A B C
all of their names.

D
71. The cost of life here has gone up considerably in the last few years but
A B
more and more people from other areas are moving.

C D
72. The ancient Greeks have promoted culture by giving honours for cultural
A B C D
achievements at the Olympic Games.

73. Architects are responsible for the construction of many skyscrapers believe
A B
that a tall building must always have a certain minimum width.

C D
74. In any small countries, with a growing population, there is always the danger
A B
which the wide open places will be built upon and their beauty destroyed.

C D

75. His mother realised at one what Tim was planning to do and warned him not
A B C D
to do it.

Choose the sentence (A, B, C or D) which is best written with the given words and phrases.

76. you / have 30 days / complete / return / form.

- A. You have 30 days when you will be completed and returned this form.
- B. You have 30 days in which completed and returned the form.
- C. You have 30 days in which to complete and return this form.
- D. You have 30 days when completing and returning this form.

77. reports / damage / cause / by / strong winds / exaggerate

- A. The reports on the damage caused by the strong winds have been exaggerated.
- B. The reports about the damage was caused by the strong winds have been exaggerated.
- C. The reports on the damage being caused by the strong winds have exaggerated.
- D. The reports about the damage that caused by the strong winds have exaggerated.

78. I / tell / tone / his voice / serious / situation

- A. I could tell by the tone of his voice how serious the situation was.
- B. I could tell from the tone of his voice how serious was the situation.
- C. I could tell in the tone of his voice what the serious situation.
- D. I could tell with the tone of his voice what was the serious situation.

79. it / Tom / advice / save / me / bankruptcy

- A. It was Tom's advice which saved me from bankruptcy.
- B. Tom's advice that saved me not bankruptcy.
- C. It was Tom's advice that saved me from bankruptcy.
- D. It was Tom whose advice saved me against bankruptcy.

80. It / obvious / we / completely unaware / what / happen / then

- A. It was obvious that we were completely unaware of what was happening then.
- B. It was obvious that we were completely unaware about what had happened then.
- C. It was so obvious that we completely unaware what was happening then.
- D. It was such obvious that we completely unaware of what had happened then.

PRACTICE TEST 12

Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from that of the others.

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|----|-----------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|
| 1. | A. <u>a</u> re | B. h <u>a</u> ir | C. sh <u>a</u> re | D. f <u>a</u> ir |
| 2. | A. ch <u>a</u> mpaign | B. m <u>a</u> rathon | C. h <u>a</u> ste | D. l <u>a</u> nd |
| 3. | A. an <u>c</u> ient | B. s <u>o</u> cial | C. phys <u>i</u> cist | D. comm <u>e</u> rcial |
| 4. | A. p <u>u</u> re | B. t <u>o</u> ur | C. m <u>o</u> or | D. p <u>o</u> or |
| 5. | A. all <u>o</u> w | B. borro <u>w</u> | C. m <u>o</u> w | D. t <u>o</u> w |

Choose the word whose stress pattern is different from that of the other three.

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| 6. | A. average | B. general | C. multiply | D. including |
| 7. | A. rescue | B. announce | C. complete | D. appear |
| 8. | A. stranger | B. finish | C. behave | D. recent |
| 9. | A. adequate | B. vegetables | C. interest | D. particular |
| 10. | A. historian | B. appropriate | C. mathematics | D. sociologist |

Choose the word or phrase that best fits the blank space in each sentence.

11. It's difficult for anyone with a criminal to get a job.
A. record B. history C. sentence D. action
12. The roof has been leaking for some time and isin need of repair.
A. bad B. worse C. badly D. the worst
13. As we turned round the bend the mountain came into.....
A. sight B. view C. scene D. scenery
14. Heforged bank notes to pay for goods at the supermarket.
A. caught to use B. was caught using
C. was caught to use D. caught using
15. Humans are the only animal that can decide.....
A. what it will look like B. it will look
C. how does it look like D. it will look like
16.a drop in the sales of new houses for the last 6 months.
A. It has been B. There has been
C. It was D. There was
17. When does your new advertisingbegin?
A. movement B. promotion C. campaign D. action

18. Don't set off fireworks too close to your house,?
- A. do you B. don't you C. will you D. won't you
19. It looksthe rain has set in for the rest of the day.
- A. if B. as if C. even if D. only if
20. The studentsthe highest average deserve to get an "A".
- A. who has B. have C. with D. of
21. It is afrom the hotel to the beach.
- A. 5 minutes walk B. 5-minute walk
C. 5 minutes's walk D. all are correct
22. Ithe paper now. You can take it.
- A. am reading B. read C. have read D. have been reading
23. Tom's going to give up his job and come back to college. I think he's making the..... decision.
- A. right B. wise C. proper D. precise
24. Don't let the baby play with that coin. He'll put it in his mouth andit.
- A. bite B. chew C. swallow D. lick
25. It was snowing heavily outside yetand comfortable indoors.
- A. we were warm with B. we warm with
C. it was warm and D. it warm and
26. I have today off work as I'm a bad cold.
- A. coming down with B. going down with
C. coming out in D. going down for
27. You canyour sister to our party tonight.
- A. bring B. carry C. take D. get
28. The teacher was absentthe class was cancelled.
- A. because B. so that C. due to D. so
29. I never dreamt I'd win when Ifor the competition.
- A. called B. sent C. entered D. asked
30. Employers and economists argue little effect on unemployment.
- A. that automation has B. about automation has
C. that automation with D. about automation of
31. As Chirstmas is coming nearer, you can hear talks about.....it.
- A. how to celebrate B. what to celebrate
C. how celebrating D. what celebrating
32. The workers had no objectionovertime as they would get extra pay.
- A. to working B. to work C. of working D. work

33. The more often you recall a memory,remember it.
 A. the more you likely B. the likelier you
 C. the more likely you are to D. the likelier you are to
34. Judo wasdeveloped in Japan in the late 19th century.
 A. origin B. original C. originated D. originally
35. Further knowlegde contributed to the moon studiesthe 1950s by spacecraft is obviously considerable.
 A. in B. since C. during D. for
36. Sorry I'm late but I got lost on the way here and Istop asking for some directions.
 A. must B. needed C. had to D. was to
37. Humans so far have sent spacecraft only to planets within our solar system.
 A. other B. others C. another D. the others
38.you didn't smoke in here, if you don't mind.
 A. I'd sooner B. I'd prefer C. I want D. I ask
39. It is typical of my little sister Helenher toys all over the floor.
 A. throws B. to throw C. throwing D. has thrown
40. It was only after she took off her hatwho she was.
 A. which could I recognise B. that I could recognise
 C. which I could recognise D. that could I recognise

Choose the word or phrase to fill each of the blanks to make a meaningful passage.

Generally speaking, people in Britain tend to live in larger cities like Manchester, Leeds or Liverpool, for example. Of course, the (41).....facilities of a city are a major attraction and further advantage is cheap, regular(42)..... Employment opportunities can also be better in a city although there are often (43).....problems. However, city dwellers spend (44).....their time in a polluted environment, except the occasional holiday in the countryside.

(45)....., the cost of living in the countryside can work out to be much more expensive. In addition, house rent may be higher. A further disadvantage (46)..... there is almost no entertainment at night. But besides these disadvantages, the environment is clean and there is (47).....crime. What could be better for young children than (48).....up in a peaceful village? Taking everything into account, the city and the countryside lives have advantages and disadvantages, but it is the individual's responsibility to make the most of (49)..... I think it is possible to lead a fulfilling life either in the city or the countryside. In conclusion,

to gain the maximum benefit from the rural or urban way of life, always (50).....
for the positive aspects.

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|-----|--------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------|--------------------|
| 41. | A. culture and leisure | B. cultural and leisurely | | |
| | C. culture and leisurely | D. cultural and leisure | | |
| 42. | A. public transport | B. state schools | | |
| | C. mail services | D. social welfare | | |
| 43. | A. economy | B. economist | C. economical | D. economic |
| 44. | A. almost | B. most | C. mostly | D. most of |
| 45. | A. In conclusion | B. In contrast | C. As a whole | D. For instance |
| 46. | A. is the fact that | B. is the fact | C. the fact is that | D. all are correct |
| 47. | A. less | B. few | C. a little | D. a few |
| 48. | A. playing | B. studying | C. bringing | D. growing |
| 49. | A. some situation | B. some occasion | C. any situation | D. any occasion |
| 50. | A. to look | B. look | C. looking | D. looked |

Read the passage below carefully and choose the correct answer (A, B, C, or D).

The people of France gave the Statue of Liberty to the United States in 1884. Their gift honored freedom. It also marked the friendship between the two nations. The full name of the statue is "Liberty Enlightening the World". It stands on Liberty Island in Upper New York Bay, about two and a half kilometers from Manhattan Island.

The Statue of Liberty is mostly made of copper. Once it was a reddish-brown color, but time and weather have turned it green. The statue wears a loose robe. She raises her right arm high in the air. Her right hand holds a torch – a golden light. Her left hand holds a tablet. It shows the date of the American Declaration of Independence – July Fourth 1776. The statue wears a crown on her head. The crown has seven points. Each of these rays represents the light of freedom. This light shines on seven seas and seven continents. A chain representing oppression lies broken at her feet. Today more than two-million people visit the statue every year. The Statue of Liberty has become a representation of freedom for people everywhere.

51. The reading passage is about.....
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| A. the Statue of Liberty | B. New York |
| C. the people of France | D. Manhattan Island |
52. The Statue of Liberty is located.....
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| A. in Upper New York Bay |
| B. two-and-one-half kilometers from New York |

60. The least you can do now is to apologise.

A. As you do the least, you have to apologise now.

B. You can not do less than apologise.

C. Last but not least, you should make an apology.

D. Making an apology is the little thing you can do now.

Choose the underlined word or phrase (A, B, C or D) that needs correcting.

61. I've taken this watch into pieces, and I now I can't put it to each other again.

A

B

C

D

62. When I got back after lunch, Jean told me that somebody would phone

A

B

C

when I was out.

D

63. There are fewer than 40 presidents of the United States since it became a country.

A

B

C

D

64. When my friends asked me where was my mother, I told them she was going to

A

B

C

visit me very soon.

D

65. Our friends drove pass us in their car, but they didn't see us standing at one

A

B

C

side of the crowded street.

D

66. I'm very sorry for not writing you for so long time but I've been busy recently.

A

B

C

D

67. Please give me a ring and let me know whether to come to my party this

A

B

C

D

weekend or not.

68. I know the room you want to rent is not attractive now but when I have repainted

A

B

C

it, it looks different.

D

69. After checking out the guest didn't forget to give a porter some tip and had

A

B

C

him carry his luggages to a taxi.

D

70. Not used to keep in iron cages, the animal has refused to eat for days and
A B C
may die from hunger.

D

71. He examined the parcel suspiciously as he had no opinion what it could be.

A B C D

72. Living in a small flat on the 30th floor of a skyscraper we are all excited at

A B

the thought that moving into our new house, a 5-bedroom bungalow.

C D

73. The intensive study programme gives all the skills necessary for those

A B

who works in an airline, as a tour operator or as a travel agency.

C D

74. These unusual birds are becoming extinct; therefore, they are protected from law.

A B C D

75. Thanks to great donation the victims of the tsunami are now able to comeover

A B C

difficulties.

D

Choose the sentence (A, B, C or D) which is best written with the given words and phrases.

76. Neither / dresses / better / other

A. Neither of the dresses is any better than the other.

B. Neither of dress is better than the others.

C. Neither of the dresses are any better than another.

D. Neither dress is any better than others.

77. I / keep / awake last night / noise / party / flat above

A. I kept awake last night by the noise of a party in the flat above.

B. I had kept awake last night because of a noise from a party at the flat above.

C. I was keeping awake last night because the noise was from a party at the flat above.

D. I was kept awake last night by the noise from a party in the flat above.

78. vitamins / complex compounds / body / require / function normally.

A. Vitamins are complex compounds of our body requiring to function normally.

- B. Vitamins are complex compounds that our body requires to function normally.
- C. Vitamins and complex compounds that our body requires so that to function normally.
- D. Vitamins, complex compounds, that our body requires so as to function normally.

79. some methods / prevent / soil erosion / plow / parallel / slopes / hills and rotate / crops

- A. Some methods for prevention soil erosion is to plow parallel with the slopes of hills and rotating crops.
- B. Some methods to prevent soil erosion is plowing parallel with the slopes of hills and to rotate crops.
- C. Some methods to prevent soil erosion are plowing parallel with the slopes of hills and rotating crops.
- D. Some methods of prevention soil erosion is to plow parallel with the slopes of hills and rotate crops.

80. recent / year / great advances / made / field / computer technology

- A. In a recent year great advances have been made with field of computer technology.
- B. In recent year great advances were made from field about computer technology.
- C. In the recent years great advances have made of the field about computer technology.
- D. In recent years great advances have been made in the field of computer technology.

PHẦN II: ĐỀ THI

ĐỀ 1

TRƯỜNG THPT CHUYÊN LÊ HỒNG PHONG – TRẦN ĐẠI NGHĨA –
LỚP CHUYÊN GIA ĐỊNH – LỚP CHUYÊN NGUYỄN THƯỢNG HIỀN
(2006 – 2007)

Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from that of the others.

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|----|----------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|--------------------|
| 1. | A. mach <u>ine</u> | B. suggest <u>ion</u> | C. sh <u>ou</u> ting | D. emot <u>ion</u> |
| 2. | A. l <u>ost</u> | B. wh <u>at</u> | C. n <u>ot</u> | D. grow <u>th</u> |
| 3. | A. complet <u>e</u> | B. servic <u>e</u> | C. read <u>y</u> | D. wome <u>n</u> |
| 4. | A. <u>th</u> ree | B. <u>th</u> rough | C. moun <u>th</u> | D. <u>th</u> an |
| 5. | A. broad <u>ened</u> | B. us <u>e</u> d to | C. cri <u>e</u> d | D. smil <u>e</u> d |

Choose the underline word which is nomally unstressed in spoken English.

6. They went on a trip to the moutain area last Saturday.
A B C D
7. I am quite sure that she will not accept your invitation.
A B C D
8. Peter is among the boys who can swim very well.
A B C D
9. Do you happen to know the man standing at the back door?
A B C D
10. They should have done their exercise at home instead of doing them right in class.
A B C D

Choose the word or phrase that best fits the blank space in each sentence.

11. I had no moneyme when I came across the nice shirt.
A. by B. at C. on D. over
12. He was happy to be friends again.
A. among B. in C. near D. off

13. The doctor was attendingthe sick.
 A. by B. to C. over D. with
14. Five minutes later the actor appearedtorn costume.
 A. by B. under C. with D. in
15. The teacher said, with a smileher face, that the students all passed the exam.
 A. on B. in C. over D. above
16. Sixteen people showedfor the volleyball training session.
 A. on B. up C. over D. through
17. Never puttill tomorrow what you can do today.
 A. off B. over C. back D. away
18. Were you broughtin the city or in the country?
 A. off B. forward C. up D. over
19. Look! There's a big hole in front of you.
 A. on B. over C. off D. out
20. Your computer can sometimes let you
 A. up B. down C. out D. off
21. Don't be late for the interview,people will think you are a disorganized person.
 A. otherwise B. unless C. if not D. or so
22. The shark him while he was paddling on his surfboard.
 A. has attacked B. had attacked C. attacked D. was attacked
23. If heon the ice, he wouldn't have broken his arm.
 A. hasn't slipped B. didn't slip C. hadn't slipped D. wouldn't slip
24. Why did you do it? Was it.....what you said yesterday?
 A. because of B. because C. in account of D. for reason
25. Throughout history, the moon has inspired not only song and dance.....
 A. and also poetry and prose B. but poetry also prose
 C. together with poetry and prose D. but poetry and prose as well
26. Precautions are takena hurricane threatens to strike the coast of the United States.
 A. whenever B. however C. always D. whether
27.about how much sleep is necessary.
 A. No rules are B. There are no rules
 C. No rules discuss D. No rules are required

28. Any job well done gives infinitely more satisfaction than....., tackled half – heartedly.
 A. which B. one C. it D. either
29. I am not accustomedin public.
 A. to speak B. to speaking C. speaking D. at speaking
30. Either John or his brothers the keys to the car.
 A. has taken B. have taken
 C. has been taken D. have been taken
31. Just watch me, and do I tell you.
 A. whatever B. whoever C. however D. whenever
32. What we heard was quite She will get well soon.
 A. encouraged B. encouraging C. discouraged D. discouraging
33. I would have met you at the bus terminal if Ithat you
 A. knew / were arriving B. knew / had arrived
 C. had known / were arriving D. would know / had arrived
34. The fewer bags you take, trouble you will have en route.
 A. the fewer B. the little C. the less D. the least
35. This house needs
 A. to repaint B. repainted
 C. to be repainting D. repainting
36. Maybe young people would bethese days if there was more discipline in school.
 A. behaved better B. better behaved
 C. behaving better D. be have better
37. Will you ever forget Maradona, the football star?
 A. meet B. to meet C. to have met D. meeting
38. We'll go out as soon as itraining.
 A. has stopped B. will have stopped
 C. will stop D. is stopping
39. I have just bought
 A. a brown nice leather belt B. a nice leather brown belt
 C. brown a leather nice belt D. a nice brown leather belt
40. Peter couldn't play the guitar, but
 A. Bob could B. could Bob
 C. neither could Bob D. Bob couldn't, either

Choose the underline word or phrase (A, B, C or D) that needs correcting.

41. What easy to learn language English is!
 A B C D
42. In case it may rain hard this afternoon, you should take the raincoat with you.
 A B C D
43. Almost all people who have seen him play believe that Michael Jordan was
 A B C
 a basketball genius.
 D
44. The hardware of that computer was infected by some new viruses.
 A B C D
45. He takes after like his father in so many ways that it's hard to believe.
 A B C D
46. The manager handed in its resignation after being accused of dishonesty.
 A B C D
47. The authorrity praising the bravery of the firemen that had fought to put the fire out.
 A B C D
48. It is really annoyed to talk to so stubborn a person like him.
 A B C D
49. Students who study abroad often have to confront cultural shock and homesick.
 A B C D
50. Motor vehicles are among the majoring causes of the air polution in big city centers.
 A B C C

Choose the word or phrase (A, B, C or D) that best fits the blank space in the folowing passage:

School exams are, generally (51), the fist kind of test we take. They find out how much knowledge we have (52) But do they really show how intelligent we are? After all, isn't it a fact that some people who are very successful academically don't have any (53) sense?

Intelligence is a speed (54)which we can understand and (55) to new situations and it is usually tested by logic puzzles. Although scientists are now preparing (56)computer technology that will be able to "read" our brains, (57), IQ tests are still the most popular ways of measuring intelligence. A person's IQ is their intelligence (58) it is measured by this special test. The most common IQ tests are (59) by Mensa, an organization that was

founded in England in 1946. By 1976 it (60) 1.300 members in Britain. Today there are 44.000 in Britain and 100.000 worldwide (61) in the US.

People taking the test are judged in (62) to an average score of 100, and those who score over 148 are entitled to join Mensa. Anyone from the age of six can (63) the test. All the questions are straight forward and most people can answer them if (64) enough time. But that's the problem – the whole (65) of the tests is that they're against the clock.

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|-----|----------------|---------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| 51. | A. spoken | B. speak | C. speaking | D. in speech |
| 52. | A. fetched | B. acquired | C. attached | D. caught |
| 53. | A. natural | B. normal | C. sharp | D. common |
| 54. | A. on | B. to | C. in | D. at |
| 55. | A. accord | B. reply | C. answer | D. react |
| 56. | A. advancing | B. forward | C. sophisticated | D. upper |
| 57. | A. at now | | B. for the time being | |
| | C. at the time | | D. now and then | |
| 58. | A. how | B. that | C. as | D. so |
| 59. | A. appointed | B. commanded | C. run | D. steered |
| 60. | A. held | B. had | C. kept | D. belonged |
| 61. | A. mainly | B. enormously | C. highly | D. considerably |
| 62. | A. concern | B. regard | C. relation | D. association |
| 63. | A. make | B. get | C. take | D. produce |
| 64. | A. given | B. had | C. let | D. provided |
| 65. | A. reason | B. count | C. matter | D. opinion |

Read the passage below carefully and choose the correct answer A, B, C, or D.

Traditional, mental tests have been divided into two types. Achievement tests are designed to measure acquired skill and knowledge, particularly those that have been explicitly taught. The proficiency exams required by some states for high school graduation are achievement tests. Aptitude tests are designed to measure a person's ability to acquire new skills or knowledge. For example, vocational aptitude tests can help you decide whether you would do better as a mechanic or musician. However, all mental tests are in some sense achievement tests because they assume some sort of past learning or experience with certain objects, words, or situations. The difference between achievement and aptitude tests is one of degree and intended use.

66. The author's main purpose in this passage is to.....
- A. show importance of testing
 - B. relate a story about aptitude and achievement tests
 - C. compare and contrast aptitude and achievement tests
 - D. criticize the use of testing to measure a person's ability
67. This passage would most likely appear in.....
- A. an art journal
 - B. a novel
 - C. a psychology book
 - D. a medical journal
68. Which of the following conclusions can be drawn from this passage?
- A. Aptitude and achievement tests are interchangeable.
 - B. An aptitude tests might be helpful for a person contemplating a career move.
 - C. All high school students should take proficiency exams.
 - D. Tests are a means of acquiring skills and knowledge.
69. The paragraph preceding this one most likely deals with
- A. other types of psychological testing
 - B. the relation between education and achievement
 - C. career choices
 - D. the requirements for high school graduation
70. The author's attitude toward the subject of testing is.....
- A. indifferent
 - B. critical
 - C. objective
 - D. emotional

Use the correct form of the word given in brackets to make a meaningful sentence.

71. The band performed veryin the concert last night. (impress)
72. Teenagers always try to be.....of their parents. (depend)
73. The advantage of living in the countryside is that the air is (pollute)
74. Her boring essay is the.....one that I have ever read. (length)
75. My option is that ghosts are..... There are no ghosts in this world. (exist)

Write complete sentences using the suggested words.

76. Thank you / much / invite me / speak / your students/ conservation/
77. I / delighted / come / answer / all / question / student have/
78. I find it / best / start/ show/ a video film, / and it / follow/ discussion/
79. Also, I have / wide selection / information leaflets / any students / be / interested/
80. I hope / students / enjoy / listen/ my lecture / and I / look forward / hear / you/

Rewrite the sentences in such a way that they mean almost the same as those printed before them.

81. A big man was standing in front of them.

→ In front of them.....

82. Immediately after his arrival things went wrong.

→ Hardly.....

83. They cancelled the flight because of the heavy rain.

→ So heavily.....

84. You can use it as long as you like, and it won't wear out.

→ No matter.....

85. You remembered to post the letter, didn't you?

→ You didn't.....

ĐỀ 2
TRƯỜNG THPT CHUYÊN LÊ HỒNG PHONG
(2005-2006)

I. Choose the word whose stress pattern is different from that of the other three.

1. A. champion B. recycle C. factory D. traveling
2. A. illustrate B. action C. remember D. universe
3. A. explanation B. experiment C. achievement D. discovery
4. A. photography B. mathematical C. policeman D. collecting
5. A. scientist B. interesting C. industry D. result

II. Choose the word or phrase that best fits each of the blank spaces.

1. If you spend too much money.....traveling, you will be broke.
A. for B. of C. at D. on
2. They are fascinated the cartoon programs on TV.
A. about B. in C. with D. at
3.paper, many other products can be recycled.
A. The same B. As C. With D. Same as
4. _ Thank very much for that! _ Well,
A. you're welcome B. of course
C. thank you D. I don't mind
5. Lynn, what would youto do this evening?
A like B. rather C. better D. ought to
6. If only we.....differently on that situation!
A. did B. are doing
C. had done D. would have done
7. I told her many times, but she didn't remember..... the tickets for the show.
A. to have bought B. having bought
C. buying D. to buy
8. She prefers going out.....home.
A. than to stay B. to staying
C. rather than stay D. rather than to stay
9. Unluckily, when she came to the airport the plane.....
A. would leave B. used to leave C. had left D. left

One of the problems with a computer is that, like any other machines, it can (6)..... If a computer is (7)....., then the (8)..... in it, the computer's calculations can be seriously (9) A faulty program in a hospital or police computer could (10).....terrible mistakes.

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|-----|--------------|----------------|-----------------|----------------|
| 1. | A. shocking | B. amazing | C. astonishing | D. surprising |
| 2. | A. done out | B. made out | C. carried out | D. figured out |
| 3. | A. usage | B. experiment | C. introduction | D. operation |
| 4. | A. dependent | B. based | C. influenced | D. carried |
| 5. | A. becoming | B. getting | C. running | D. turning |
| 6. | A. break up | B. break down | C. break into | D. break out |
| 7. | A. changed | B. modified | C. contaminated | D. damaged |
| 8. | A. foul | B. abnormality | C. wrong doing | D. error |
| 9. | A. devalued | B. affected | C. fooled | D. broken |
| 10. | A. do | B. produce | C. find | D. cause |

V. Fill in each of the blanks with ONE suitable word.

The first Olympic Games were held in Greece in 776 B.C. Only one event, a foot race, (1)..... included. Things (2)..... changed a great deal over the years. The modern Olympics have (3).....events. However, they still include some basic spiritual parts of the Games, namely the (4)..... up of the flame, the oath of loyalty, (5)..... the doves that are set (6)..... The world's best athletes spend a lot of (7)..... time training and preparing for the Olympics. Not only those athletes (8)..... also the people in that country take (9)..... in setting new records at these sporting events. Today, (10)..... always, the Olympic Games are a celebration of human courage.

VI. Rewrite the sentences so that they mean almost the same as those printed before them.

- My advice is that Mary should apply for that job.
→ If I.....
- The furniture was too old to keep.
→ It was.....
- When did you start that exercise program?
→ How.....
- They didn't find the trip interesting although the weather was fine.
→ In spite.....

5. They say football is the best game to play.
→ Football.....
6. We cannot survive when there is no air.
→ Without
7. All I know is that he has gone.
→ As far.....
8. He liked the new friend immediately.
→ He took.....
9. She hasn't gone out with him for almost two years.
→ They stopped.....
10. Gary is the best guitarist in the class.
→ No one else.....

ĐỀ 3

TRƯỜNG THPT CHUYÊN LÊ HỒNG PHONG – TRẦN ĐẠI NGHĨA – LỚP CHUYÊN GIA ĐỊNH – LỚP CHUYÊN NGUYỄN THƯỢNG HIỀN

Năm học 2005-2006

I. Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from that of the other three.

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| 1. A. <u>l</u> ost | B. <u>n</u> ose | C. <u>o</u> nly | D. <u>o</u> te |
| 2. A. <u>y</u> ouths | B. <u>c</u> igarettes | C. <u>m</u> aps | D. <u>m</u> onths |
| 3. A. <u>i</u> nversion | B. <u>p</u> ermission | C. <u>s</u> hip | D. <u>d</u> ecision |
| 4. A. <u>a</u> lthough | B. <u>w</u> ithout | C. <u>t</u> horough | D. <u>m</u> ouths |
| 5. A. <u>h</u> onest | B. <u>h</u> ome | C. <u>h</u> eiress | D. <u>v</u> ehicles |

II. Choose the word or phrase that best fits each of the blank spaces.

- Excuse me! I'm doing my homework..... turning down your radio a bit?
A. Would you please B. Can you
C. Could you D. Would you mind
- I'd rather go to the football field instead..... being in class today.
A. in B. to C. of D. at
- _ Would you like a piece of cake? _ Yes,
A. I would B. I do like C. please D. of course
- I couldn't find Jimmy at the party last night. If Ihim, I'd have been very happy.
A. meet B. met C. had met D. have met
- How.....foreign stamps have you collected so far, Jack?
A. many B. much C. little D. few
- _ Can you see anybody in that classroom? _ Yes. Therea teacher and fifty students there.
A. is B. are C. has been D. have been
- How far is your houseyour office, John?
A. to B. at C. from D. in
- The boy decided to go out..... it was raining very heavily outside.
A. because B. despite C. even if D. although
- _ Merry Christmas, Joe!.....

4. _ Do you know her well?

_ I think she is a(n)..... person as she often tells lies to me. (rely)

5. Congratulations! You have made..... progress in your study so far. (remark)

V. Choose the best option to fill in each of the blanks to make a meaningful passage.

Most people in Britain take their troubles with them on holiday, according to a new (1)..... 40% said the most important reason for going away is to (2).....stress, but almost everyone said they worry more than they (3)..... at home. Only 4% are happy and (4)..... The most common (5)..... is burglary: 4 out of 10 people worry about their homes being broken into while they're abroad. More than a quarter are afraid they'll be upset by noisy holiday (6)....., 22% are worried about being mugged. One in five think cars may break (7)....., and the same number are upset about the (8).....of bad weather. One in seven people said their (9) of a good holiday is 'sun, sea and safe'. A quarter of all young, single men thought this was the best formula for a holiday.

The research (10)..... that the traditional stay-at-home Briton was no more. Three out of every five adults now want to holiday abroad. Three years ago, less than half wanted to go (11)..... The hotel holiday is still the most (12)....., just over half the people interviewed preferred being looked after (13)..... going on a self-catering holiday, (14).....worries about cheeky waiters and noisy (15).....guests!

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|-----|----------------|----------------|-------------------|------------------|
| 1. | A. survey | B. examination | C. poll | D. questionnaire |
| 2. | A. degrade | B. escape | C. postpone | D. run away |
| 3. | A. do | B. can | C. will | D. have |
| 4. | A. nonsense | B. easy | C. carefree | D. thoughtless |
| 5. | A. thought | B. idea | C. notion | D. concern |
| 6. | A. doers | B. payers | C. tourists | D. makers |
| 7. | A. off | B. up | C. down | D. through |
| 8. | A. opportunity | B. perhaps | C. maybe | D. possibility |
| 9. | A. suggestion | | B. idea | |
| | C. thought | | D. recommendation | |
| 10. | A. pointed | B. expressed | C. told | D. showed |
| 11. | A. overseas | B. abroad | C. foreign | D. out of nation |

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|-----|-------------------|--------------|---------------|------------|
| 12. | A. favorite | B. ordinary | C. likely | D. popular |
| 13. | A. to | B. for | C. than | D. about |
| 14. | A. in addition to | B. including | C. except for | D. despite |
| 15. | A. mate | B. fellow | C. pen-pal | D. local |

VI. Fill in each of the blanks with ONE suitable word.

Nowadays, informatics is one of the compulsory (1).....in many large schools in our city. My school is (2).....those that have just been equipped with a rather modern computer system. This system (3).....of 30 machines linked to the Internet and (4)..... by Windows XP. All the students in my school (5).....doing this new object because (6)_____has helped us very much in learning other ones, (7).....English. By using effective (8).....on the Internet like Google, we can easily find necessary data in (9)..... to do a better (10)..... in our study.

VII. Rewrite the sentences so that they mean almost the same as those printed before them.

- Her ability to run a company really impresses me.
→ What I.....
- The children were so excited they talked about the show all night long.
→ Such.....
- English is easy to learn.
→ What.....
- It may rain hard this afternoon, so take the raincoat with you.
→ In case.....
- People believe Michael Jordan was a basketball genius.
→ Michael Jordan.....
- Your warning helped prevent my failure in the test.
→ Had it.....
- The hardware of that computer was infected with viruses.
→ That computer.....
- He looks really like his father in many ways.
→ He takes.....
- She had to do the washing, but she didn't.
→ She forgot.....
- His father is interested in fishing.
→ His father takes.....

ĐỀ 4

TRƯỜNG THPT CHUYÊN LÊ HỒNG PHONG

Đề thi tuyển sinh năm học 2004-2005 vào lớp 10

I. Choose the word or phrase the best fits each of the blank spaces.

1. If you work for us, you'll get somewhere to live.....free.
A. for B. of C. at D. out
2. They took pridebeing the best players of the school.
A. of B. in C. on D. at
3. She still remembered how he had broken down and cried.....a baby.
A. as if B. as C. like D. same as
4. I'm sorry about that! _ Well,.....
A. you're welcome B. of course
C. thank you D. it's OK
5. Pam, what would youdo tomorrow morning?
A. like B. rather C. better D. ought to
6. I wish Ithere yesterday afternoon!
A was B. were C. had been D. would have been
7. She saw me, but she didn't bother hello to me.
A. to have said B. say C. saying D. to say
8. She'd prefer to go outhome.
A. than to stay B. than staying
C. rather than stay D. rather than to stay
9. We could not use fire fighting equipment because the water pipes.....
A. would burst B. used to burst C. have burst D. had burst
10. It's no use him really. He had to do what he had been told to.
A. to blame B. for blaming C. you blamed. D. blaming
11. Have you got a car?
A. of your own B. of yourself C. of you. D. of your
12. I am not accustomedin public.
A. to speak B. to speaking C. speaking D. at speaking
13. Either John or his brothersthe keys to the car.
A. has been taken B. has taken
C. have taken D. have been taken

14. Just watch me, and do_I tell you.
 A. whoever B. whenever C. however D. whatever
15. What we heard
 A. encouraged B. was encouraging
 C. encouraging D. was encouraged
16. I would have met you at the bus terminal if I.....that you.....
 A. knew / were arriving B. knew / arrived
 C. had known / arrived D. had known / arriving
17. The fewer gases you take,trouble you will have.
 A. the fewer B. the least C. the little D. the less
18.where to find the key, the boy could not open the safe.
 A. Knowing not B. Knew not C. Not knowing D. Didn't know
19. This house needs.....
 A. to repaint B. repainted
 C. to be repainting D. repainting
20. They received..... advice from their parents that they became successful.
 A. so good B. such a good C. so good an D. such good

II. Fill each of the blanks with the correct form the words given.

1. Will you please give us some.....explanation? (far)
2. You shouldyourselves with the new environment. (family)
3. She likes goingwith her classmates. (picnic)
4. Are there any.....between them? (similar)
5. There are many.....programs at the Festival in Hue. (culture)
6. Although some societies are.....under-developed, their languages are very complex. (technology)
7. It's education that helps with the.....of knowledge for the young. (rich)
8. He likes watchingprograms on TV. (entertain)
9. Manysay that is the best method to adopt. (science)
10. Esperanto, however, proves to be useless because it is.....(popular)

III. Chose the best option to fill in each of the blanks to make a meaningful passage.

Most people think of computer as very modern invention products of our new technological age. But actually the idea for computer was (1).....out over two centuries ago by a man (2)..... Charles Babbage.

Babbage was born in 1771 and (3).....up to be a brilliant mathematician. He drew up plans for several calculating machines(4)..... he called 'engines'. But despite the fact that he(5)..... building some of these he never finished any of them. Over the years people have argued (6).....his machines would ever work. Recently, however, the Science Museum in London has finished building (7)..... engine (8.....on one of Babbage's designs. It has taken six years to complete and more(9)four thousand parts have been especially made. Whether it works or not, the machine will be on show at a special exhibition in the Science Museum to(10).....people of Babbage's work.

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|-----|--------------|---------------|-------------|---------------|
| 1. | A. turned | B. thought | C. invented | D. worked |
| 2. | A. known | B. recognized | C. called | D. written |
| 3. | A. developed | B. grew | C. brought | D. expected |
| 4. | A. which | B. who | C. these | D. whose |
| 5. | A. wanted | B. made | C. started | D. missed |
| 6. | A. until | B. whether | C. while | D. though |
| 7. | A. an | B. the | C. some | D. that |
| 8. | A. depended | B. based | C. insisted | D. influenced |
| 9. | A. than | B. therefore | C. when | D. then |
| 10. | A. remind | B. say | C. inform | D. encourage |

IV. Fill in each of the blanks with ONE suitable word.

Most people know that cigarette smoking is harmful to their (1)..... Scientific research shows that it can (2) many kinds of diseases. In fact, many people (3)....., smoke get lung cancer. Doctors believe that it may also cause lung cancer in people who (4)..... not smoke. Nonsmokers often breathe in the smoke from (4) people's cigarettes. This is secondhand smoking. People are becoming very aware (6)..... the danger of secondhand smoke. As a result, they (7) passed laws that prohibit people from smoking in many public places. Besides, many governments tend to (8) taxes on cigarettes so as to discourage people from smoking. With all the concerted efforts (9)..... by the authority and non-smokers, we can look forward to a world (10)..... smoking.

PHẦN TỰ CHỌN: THÍ SINH TỰ CHỌN MỘT TRONG HAI PHẦN SAU

V. Rewrite the sentences so that they mean almost the same as those printed before them.

1. If I were Peter, I'd look for another job.

→ I.....

2. The teacher started to write the lesson plan right after he returned home.
→ Hardly.....
3. "I'm sorry that I broke the valuable vase, Tina", said Tom.
→ Tom apologized.....
4. We couldn't get nearer because of the police.
→ The police wouldn't.....
5. They say that Nam is the brightest student in our school.
→ No other.....
6. I only recognized him when he came into the room.
→ It was.....
7. I must thank Jane and Alice for their presents.
→ I must send.....
8. He stayed home because he got a cold.
→ He came down.....
9. They haven't played tennis for almost two years.
→ They stopped.....
10. The news was so good that she smiled happily.
→ It was.....

V. Use the prompts provided to write full sentences to makes a complete letter of complaint.

Dear Sir/ Madam,

1. I/ like/ express/ concern/ increasig number/ karaoke bars/ city.
2. There be/ lot/ reason/ I object/ places
3. Firstly, / owners / take/ much money/ those/ come / sing
4. Secondly,/ they cause/ much noise/ neighborhood
5. Thirdly, / there/ number/ pupils/ play truant/ just/ go/ those places / sing
6. Last / least/ these bars / do harm/ appearance/ city/ because/ their too ugly flashing lights
7. I want / say / I / not // old-fashioned person
8. I hope / authority/ take/ matter/ careful consideration
9. I / not mean / ban them / but/ there should/ effective way / control/ this kind/ entertainment places
10. I look / see/ city council/ do / this matter/

Yours truly, THOMAS CRUISE.

ĐỀ 5
KHỐI PT CHUYÊN NGOẠI NGỮ – ĐHQG HÀ NỘI
Đề thi tuyển sinh vào lớp 10 chuyên Anh
2003-2004

I. NGỮ PHÁP VÀ TỪ VỰNG

Câu 1: *Cho dạng thức đúng của động từ trong ngoặc.*

_ A: (1. phone).....you at about 9 o'clock this morning but you (2. not answer)..... What you (3. do).....?

_ B: Well, I (4. hear).....the phone but I (5. have).....a shower and I couldn't get out in time to answer it.

_ My father (6. work).....in Canada for the last year, so by the time he (7. return).....the month after next I (8. not see).....him for fourteen months.

Not until we (9. arrive)..... at his house we (10. discover).....that he was on holiday.

Câu 2: *Khớp các định nghĩa với các từ đã cho trong khung.*

boat	crash	hairbrush	hotel	ice-cream	office
perfume	sleep	station	suitcase	microphone	

1. Something that makes you cool in hot weather.
2. The thing that is useful when you travel.
3. A liquid that makes you smell nice.
4. A thing that you tidy your hair with.
5. A thing that you speak into.
6. A place where you can stay overnight.
7. A place where you can catch a train.
8. You can travel across water in it.
9. It can happen if you drive too fast.
10. You do it at night when you are tired.

Câu 3: *Hình thành các từ trong ngoặc ở dạng đúng để hoàn thành bài đọc dưới đây.*

Most of us want to be healthy all our lives. Doctors say that to achieve this, (1. prevent).....is better than cure, so they advise us to avoid certain (2.

active)..... like smoking, (3. excess).....drinking or taking certain substances such as drugs, to eat (4. sensible)....., to take plenty of regular and demanding exercise, and, of course, to live in clean, hygienic conditions

(5. Fortunate)....., many of us have difficulty following this very good advice. Exercise, for example, can be boring, time-consuming and (6. convenience)..... Even worse, some of our favourite foods like beefburgers, (7. can).....drinks, ice-cream and crisps are the (8. healthy).....ones, and some things that young people often really enjoy, like bungee jumping, car racing and (9. parachute).....are among the most (10. excite).....things we can do, though of course they can be dangerous.

What's better, live now and pay later or play it safe?

Câu 4. Hãy tìm một giới từ thích hợp để điền vào mỗi ô trống đánh số trong đoạn văn.

The place in which I spend most (1).....my holidays is deep in the south of Greece. It is beautiful area where mountains rise right next (2)....the sea, known as Mani. I have had a house there (3)....several years and I am completely in love (4)....the place. I used to travel (5)....different places whenever I got a chance but now when I have a week or two off I make my way straight to my Mani home. The village where the house is located is a wonderfully relaxing place and very safe (6)....children. There is still very little tourist traffic (7)....the region. Sometimes you meet a few walkers setting off a mountain hike and occasionally a tour group reaches the village but even (8)....summer life seems to follow the same slow pace as the rest of the year. Of course, it could all change (9)....the near future if a tour operator decided to develop things but the region has a long history (10).... resistant invaders and I imagine it would find a way of keeping its unspoilt charm.

II. PHẦN ĐỌC

Câu 1. Hãy đọc đoạn văn sau đây và chọn đáp án đúng cho mỗi câu.

Each nation has many good people who take care of others. For example, some high school and college students in the United States often spend many hours as volunteers in hospitals, orphanages or homes for the aged. They read books to the people in these places, or they just visit them, play games with them or listen to their problems.

Other young volunteers go and work in the homes of people who are sick or old. They paint, clean up, or repair their house, do their shopping or mow their

lawns. For boys who no longer have fathers there is an organization called Big Brothers. College students and other men take these boys to baseball games or on fishing trips and help them to get to know things that boys usually learn from their fathers.

Each city has a number of clubs where boys and girls can go to play games or learn crafts. Some of these clubs show movies or organize short trips to interest. Most of these clubs use a lot of high school and college students as volunteers because they are young enough to remember the problems of younger boys and girls.

Volunteers believe that some of the happiest people in the world are those who help to bring happiness to others.

1. What is the best title for the passage?
 - A Taking care of others
 - B Voluntary work in the United States
 - C Volunteers: the happiest people in the world
 - D Helping old and sick people in the United States
2. How do volunteers usually help those who are sick or old in their homes?
 - A. They mow lawns, do shopping and clean up their house
 - B. They cook, sew or wash their clothes
 - C. They tell them stories and sing and dance for them
 - D. They take them to baseball games
3. Big Brothers is
 - A. The name of a club
 - B. A home for children who have no brothers
 - C. The name of a film
 - D. An organization for boys who no longer have fathers
4. Most of the boys' and girls' clubs use many high school and college students as volunteers because.....
 - A. They have a lot of free time
 - B. They can understand the problems of younger boys and girls
 - C. They know how to do the work
 - D. They are good at playing games and learning crafts
5. What do volunteers believe?
 - A. In order to make others happy, they have got to be unhappy.

- B. The happiest people in the world are those who make themselves happy.
- C. The happiest people in the world are those who are young and healthy.
- D. Bringing happiness to others makes them the happiest people in the world.

Câu 2. Đọc đoạn văn dưới đây và chọn một đáp án đúng

In the spring of 1891, a young Canadian named James Naismith (1)..... the staff of the International YMCA Training School in Springfield, Massachusetts, where he was instructed to devise an (2).....game that did not (3) bodily contact, would not (4)..... in damage to the gym and in which every player had a (5).....to get in on the action. The game he invented was basketball-or basket ball as it was (6).....until about 1912. Naismith hung peach baskets as (7).....end of the gym and used a soccer ball to play with. The first game, in December 1891, was played (8).....two teams of nine men each and was not exactly a classic. The final (9).....was 1-0. (10).....an off-season recreation, basketball took (11).....in a big way, largely because it was cheap and easy to (12).....up. Oddly, although peach baskets were soon (13).....by nets, until 1912 it didn't (14).....to anyone to cut a hole in the bottom of them. Until then it was necessary (15).....someone to climb a ladder and retrieve the ball after each score.

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|-----|-------------|----------------|--------------|-------------|
| 1. | A. enrolled | B. joined | C. entered | D. became |
| 2. | A. inside | B. internal | C. indoor | D. interior |
| 3. | A. contain | B. consist | C. belong | D. involve |
| 4. | A. cause | B. result | C. end | D. lead |
| 5. | A. chance | B. possibility | C. challenge | D. part |
| 6. | A. named | B. spoke | C. called | D. referred |
| 7. | A. opposite | B. both | C. either | D. double |
| 8. | A. against | B. among | C. from | D. between |
| 9. | A. goal | B. score | C. shot | D. Point |
| 10. | A. As | B. Such | C. Like | D. Yet |
| 11. | A. up | B. off | C. out | D. in |
| 12. | A. get | B. play | C. get | D. do |
| 13. | A. replaced | B. swapped | C. exchanged | D. removed |
| 14. | A. think | B. realise | C. suggest | D. occur |
| 15. | A. that | B. so | C. for | D. even |

Câu 3. Hãy sắp xếp các câu sau theo đúng trật tự để tạo thành một đoạn tin.

HELICOPTER PILOT SAVES SWIMMERS

- a. Summer Marion Jacobs said afterwards, "He saved our lives. If he hadn't come when he did, the sharks would have had us."
- b. He brought his helicopter down until he was just over the water, and hovered above the sharks.
- c. After a few minutes they were frightened away, and the swimmers were able to get back safely to the beach.
- d. A quick-thinking helicopter pilot saved three swimmers from shark attacks yesterday.
- e. While he was flying off the Australian coast near Sydney, the pilot saw sharks approaching the swimmers.

III. PHẦN VIẾT

Câu 1: Sử dụng từ in đậm để hoàn thành câu thứ hai sao cho nghĩa gần nhất với câu cho sẵn. Không được biến đổi dạng của từ đã cho.

1. Mary moved here in 1987. **living**
Mary1987.
2. It's Huong's job to look after her little brother. **responsible**
Huong little brother.
3. Tom missed the ferry because his car broke down. **if**
Tomdown.
4. They decided to build a new school immediately. **should**
They decided that a.....immediately
5. Peter likes staying in hotels but he prefers camping. **as much as**
Peter doesn't.....camping.
6. I haven't decided yet whether to move or not. **mind**
I haven't.....whether to move or not.
7. You'll hurt yourself if you are not careful **or**
Be.....yourself.
8. You're going too fast for me **keep**
Iyou!
9. It's unlikely that I'll see you again this week. **probably**
We.....other.
10. Martin has to wear glasses to read the newspaper. **without**
Martin..... wearing his glasses.

Câu 2: Dùng các từ đã cho để viết thành câu hoàn chỉnh. Có thể thực hiện một số thay đổi và thêm một số từ khi cần thiết, nhưng không được thay đổi trật tự các từ và bỏ những từ đã cho.

1. Elizabeth Taylor/ born / England /1932.
2. She / beautiful child / black hair / violet-blue eyes.
3. 1939 / she / family/ move/ America.
4. Film makers / there/ notice / beauty / she / only nine.
5. Soon / she/ a child star.
6. She/ one / few child stars / continue / successful / adults.
7. She / make/ many films.
8. Her private life / not be / successful / her career / films.
9. She / has married / several times.
10. Today / she/ grandmother / still / have / film-star looks.

ĐỀ 6
TRƯỜNG THPT CHUYÊN LÊ HỒNG PHONG
Đề thi tuyển sinh vào lớp 10 chuyên Anh
Năm học 2004-2005

I. Chose the word or phrase the best fits each of the blank spaces.

1. He tried to join the army but was turned because of poor health.
A. down B. over C. up D. on
2. It is wrong to look poorer people.
A. down B. down on C. on D. upon
3.you mind turning off the cassette player?
A. May B. Shall C. Would D. Will
4. She is the most suitable person..... out his mission.
A. to carry B. carry C. carried D. to be carry
5. he did that, no one knows.
A. Why B. How come C. Reason D. What for
6. Taming a wild animal means..... danger most of the time.
A. to face B. face C. being faced D. facing
7. Mai is the one they are worried.
A. about that B. who C. about whom D. that
8. There's nothing to worry about,?
A. is there B. isn't there C. is it D. isn't it
9. Do you often watch broadcast on TV?
A. lively B. living C. alive D. live
10. Can you tell me if Hoa has more or books on math than Minh?
A. fewer B. less C. a few D. a little

II. Choose the best option to fill in each of the blanks to make a meaningful passage.

Men are lazy in the home. They have about six hours a week more free time than wives, but play very little (1)..... in cooking, cleaning, washing, and ironing, according to the Social Trends Survey by the central Statistical Office. Nearly three quaters of married women (2)..... to do all or most of the housework, and among married men the proportion who admitted that their wives did all or most of the housework was only (3)..... lower.

The survey (4).....that washing and ironing was the least popular task among men, with only one per cent (5).....this duty, compared with 89 per cent of women, and 10 per cent (6) equally. Only 5 per cent of men (7).....the evening meal, 3 per cent carry out household cleaning duties. But when household gadgets break down, (8).....are carried out by 82 per cent of husbands.

The survey say that, (9).....our economic problems, the majority of Britons are substantially better (10).....than a decade ago. We are healthier, too – eating healthier foods and smoking less.

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|-----|---------------|----------------|---------------|---------------|
| 1. | A. role | B. section | C. work | D. part |
| 2. | A. pronounced | B. uttered | C. claimed | D. emitted |
| 3. | A. slightly | B. lightly | C. lightly | D. brightly |
| 4. | A. pointed | B. evolved | C. planned | D. showed |
| 5. | A. forming | B. formulating | C. performing | D. burdening |
| 6. | A. making | B. taking | C. sharing | D. running |
| 7. | A. prepare | B. process | C. undertake | D. fit |
| 8. | A. repairs | B. fixings | C. fittings | D. amendments |
| 9. | A. otherwise | B. despite | C. although | D. but |
| 10. | A. over | B. off | C. through | D. on |

III. Fill each of the blanks with the correct form the words given.

- The phone wasseveral times but there was no answer. (sound)
- Theof bird flu did great damage to our agriculture. (break)
- Theirhas proved that this is still controversial. (agree)
- She has spent many.....nights examining the question. (sleep)
- She can't seem to get accustomed to..... (queue)
- Your clothes need (smooth)
-, UFOs are still mysterious things. (science)
- One or the of English is that it is not pronounced the way it is written. (weak)
- We really appreciate his..... in making decisions. (sense)
- In a plane crash, there's no use..... (panic)

IV. Fill in each of the blanks with correct form of the word given.

Water pollution, (1 contaminate)..... of streams, lakes, (2 ground).....water, bays, or oceans by substances, is harmful to living things. Water is

necessary to life on earth. All organisms contain it; some drink it. Plants and animals require water that is (3 moderate)..... pure, and they cannot survive if their water is loaded with toxic chemicals or harmful micro-organisms. If severe, water pollution can kill large numbers of fish, birds, and other animals. In some cases it may kill all members of a species in an (4 affect)..... area.

Pollution makes streams, and (5 coast).....waters (6 please)..... to look at, to smell, and to swim in. Fish and shellfish harvested from polluted waters may be (7 safe)..... to eat. People who ingest polluted water become ill, and, with prolonged (8 expose), may develop cancers or get children with birth defects.

The major water (9 pollution)..... are chemicals, biological, or physical materials that (10 grade).....water quality.

V. Fill in each of the blanks with ONE suitable word.

Language is considered a significant (1)..... of communication in international relations. People in modern world have no (2)..... been bound to their own countries. Moreover, in keeping informed with speedy scientific developments nowadays, they must widen their cooperative relations with those highly developed nations in (3)..... parts of the world. (4)..... to the fact that no one is able to (5)..... with any natives in the world, it is necessary for people to choose to learn a (6)..... language as a world-wide common means of communication besides their (7)..... mother tongue or native language.

That is why English has (8).....chosen by most people to be a foreign language to master. More and more people use English and the number of (9).....who learn English as a foreign language has been increasing so rapidly that it has outnumbered (10)..... of any other.

VI. Rewrite the sentences so that they mean almost the same as those printed before them.

1. What I know is that he still needs protection.

→ As far.....

2. He introduced me briefly to the school's teaching staff.

→ He gave.....

3. He's proud of being a good computer programmer.

→ He takes.....

4. We know that the people there spoke a different kind of language some hundred years ago.

→ A different

5. I don't feel like having a dance now.
→ I'd rather.....
6. If you work hard, you will be successful.
The harder.....
7. I had just put the phone down when she rang back.
→ No sooner.....
8. While I strongly disapprove of your behavior, I will help you this time.
→ Despite my.....
9. Tran Tien wrote the song himself.
→ It was.....
10. He speaks French very well.
→ He has.....

VII. Use the prompts provided to write full sentences.

1. Regular exercise / only help in / control weight / but / prevent / illnesses
2. It / lessen / risk of heart disease / be / a threat / men over fifty
3. It / allow us / get rid / tenseness, anxiety / frustration
4. During exercise, / brain / release chemicals / call / endorphins / associated / happiness and relaxation
5. Exercise / take regular / improves / fitness / our body / mind

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TRƯỜNG THPT CHUYÊN TRẦN ĐẠI NGHĨA

Đề thi tuyển sinh vào lớp 10 năm học 2004 – 2005

I. Choose the word or phrase that best fits each of the blanks.

1. The boys are quite enthusiastic.....doing the experiment.
A. for B. of C. at D. about
2. They took the matter.....careful consideration.
A. of B. into C. on D. at
3. She still remembered by her stepmother.
A. to be ill-treated B. to ill-treat
C. being ill-treated D. ill-treating
4. _Merry Christmas! _Yeah,.....!
A. Merry Christmas B. of course
C. me too D. the same to you
5. If only I.....the instruction closely.
A. be followed B. will follow C. have followed D. had followed
6. Uncle Ho devoted his whole life his country richer and his people happier.
A. to make B. making C. to making D. to have made
7. You should understand better to work together.
A. one another B. each one C. themselves D. yourself
8. That teacher is anone. His pupils like his sense of humor.
A. amusing B. amused C. amusement D. self-amused
9. The car whatever we tried to do.
A. not started B. hadn't started C. wouldn't start D. wasn't started
10. He has difficultyhis ideas across.
A. to make B. making C. being made D. to be made
11. The boy mended his shirt.....
A. on himself B. by himself C. by his own D. his own self
12. If he had prepared the lesson well, he.....in trouble now.
A. wouldn't be B. wouldn't have been
C. will not be D. will not have been
13. Every one of themresponsible for their action.
A. be B. are C. is D. being

14.you are, you should observe the regulation.
 A. Whoever B. Whenever C. However D. Whatever
15. The next trainthe station at 10 A.M.
 A. is leaving B. will leave C. will be leaving D. leaves
16. The firemanrescue a little boy trapped in the burning house.
 A. could B. managed in C. was able to D. succeeded to
17. The more we get together,we'll be.
 A. more happy B. the happier
 C. the more happily D. happier
18. She doesn't knowto hide the money.
 A. what B. where C. about where D. why
19. This house wants
 A. to redecorate B. redecorated
 C. to be redecorating D. redecorating
20. They received help from their parents, but they still become successful.
 A. so few B. such a few C. little D. a little

II. Fill each of the blanks with the correct form of the words given.

1. Will you please be more polite to..... (old)
2. We should reducein the area. (poor)
3. Her car needsat the garage. (service)
4. Tell me the and I'll set you free. (true)
5. There are many newzones in Dong Nai province. (industry)
6. Some package trips to Thailand are..... cheap. (surprise)
7. He is.....for his charitable activities than for his business in the steel industry. (know)
8.s the spirit of the Olympic Games. (sport)
9. Many say that is the best method to adopt. (environment)
10. The result was, however, What a shame! (satisfy)

III. Choose the best option to fill in each of the blanks to make a meaningful passage.

Modern cinema audiences (1).....to see plenty of thrilling scenes in action films. These scenes, which are (2).....as stunts, are usually (3)..... by stuntmen who are especially trained to do (4).....things safely. Anyone can

crash a car, but if you're (5).....a film, you have to be extremely precise, sometimes stopping (6) in front of the camera and film crew. At an early stage in the (7)....., an expert stuntman is called in to work out the action scenes and form a team. He is the only person who can go (8).....the wishes of the director, (9).....he will usually only do this in the (10).....of safety.

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|-----|---------------|----------------|----------------|------------------|
| 1. | A. expect | B. count | C. claim | D. prepare |
| 2. | A. remarked | B. known | C. referred | D. named |
| 3. | A. performed | B. given | C. fulfilled | D. displayed |
| 4. | A. dangerous | B. endangering | C. disastrous | D. death |
| 5. | A. doing | B. creating | C. shooting | D. manufacturing |
| 6. | A. precise | B. right | C. exact | D. correctly |
| 7. | A. production | B. creation | C. manufacture | D. imagination |
| 8. | A. over | B. against | C. through | D. across |
| 9. | A. despite | B. so | C. although | D. otherwise |
| 10. | A. interests | B. needs | C. purposes | D. regards |

IV. Fill in each of the blanks with ONE suitable word.

Old people often say that young people are not what they were. The same comment is made from generation to (1)..... and it is always true. It has never been truer (2)..... it is today. The young (3)..... better educated. They have a lot more time to (4)..... and enjoy more freedom. They grow up more quickly and are quite independent (5).....their parents. They think more (6)themselves and do not blindly accept the ideas of their older people. Events (7) the older generation remembers vividly are (8)..... more than past history. This is as it should be. Every new generation is different from the (9)..... that preceded it. Today, the (10) is very marked indeed.

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V. Rewrite the sentences so that they mean almost the same as those printed before them.

- Why didn't anybody tell me truth?
→ How come.....
- That's the cheapest dish on the menu.
→ None of the.....
- The number of people killed in traffic accidents this year is 1055.
→ Already this year,.....

4. Having made all the arrangements, they decided to go away.
→ Since
5. Her failure in the last exam depressed her.
→ The fact.....
6. The managerial staff didn't act soon enough to prevent the strike.
→ Had the.....
7. You can't park here; it is a restricted area.
→ No parking.....
8. The strong wind blew off the roof of the house.
→ The house.....
9. If you don't turn that music down, Dad will get angry.
→ Before
10. We will deliver everything you have ordered.
→ Whatever has.....

V. Use the prompts provided to write full sentences to make a complete friendly letter.

Dear Ken,

1. last letter / you / kindly offer / put / me / your flat / I be / Berlin
2. I / be / afraid / I / unable / take / offer / time being
3. My father / sick / I / to stay / home / care / him
4. He / very sick / I / cannot / him alone
5. My brother / also / help / look / Dad / but / he now / away / business trip / Paris
6. I / hope / be able / come / Berlin / later / end / year, / perhaps / January
7. If / room / free / I / glad / stay / you
8. I / let / know / plan / soon / possible / order / not interfere / own plan
9. Thank / much / again / offer
10. I / not / wait / see / you / Berlin / but / then / goodbye/

With love,

Leo.

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TRƯỜNG PHỔ THÔNG NĂNG KHIẾU – ĐHQG. TPHCM

Đề thi tuyển sinh vào lớp 10 môn Anh Văn năm học 2003 – 2004

I. Pick out the word that is pronounced differently from the others

(it can be underlined vowel, consonant sounds or stress pattern)

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|-------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|
| 1. A. <u>co</u> st | B. d <u>o</u> g | C. <u>co</u> me | D. f <u>o</u> x |
| 2. A g <u>i</u> rl | B. h <u>u</u> rt | C. h <u>ea</u> rd | D. h <u>ea</u> rt |
| 3. A p <u>a</u> ss | B. b <u>a</u> ys | C. w <u>or</u> se | D. ch <u>i</u> ps |
| 4. A f <u>i</u> sh <u>e</u> d | B. l <u>e</u> arn <u>e</u> d | C. s <u>a</u> ve <u>d</u> | D. d <u>e</u> lay <u>e</u> d |
| 5. A excellent | B. hospital | C. interesting | D. direction |

II. Choose the word or phrase which best completes each of the sentences below.

6. I had to wearuniform when I worked in the hotel.
A. a B. some C. any D. an
7. You can use my bicycle you bring it back tomorrow.
A. although B. as long as C. nevertheless D. in spite of
8. The lake contained thousands of fish.
A. much B. one C. few D. many
9. The nurse was on in the hospital all night.
A. work B. alarm C. duty D. service
10. I suggest we outside the cinema tomorrow at 8:30.
A. meeting B. meet C. met D. will meet
11. Cut the cake into six pieces.
A. same B. like C. alike D. equal
12. playing basketball, she also enjoys tennis.
A. Besides B. Moreover C. Apart D. Together
13. The meeting had to be put until a later date.
A. away B. on C. off D. up
14. I'll show you round the city, when you to visit me.
A. come B. will come C. are coming D. will be coming
15. His eyes were bad that he couldn't read the number plate of the car in front.
A. such B. too C. so D. very

III. Choose the question or response which fits the situation.

16. I'm afraid I've broken your umbrella. —
- A. Don't mention it. B. Not at all.
C. It's the same. D. Don't worry about it.
17. What.....?
- A. is your opinion for my new dress B. do you think of my new dress
C. do you think from my new dress D. Is your idea about my new dress
18. John says he doesn't like you. —
- A. I don't care. B. It is the same.
C. I know he isn't. D. So do I.
19. what you are doing !
- A. Care B. Mind C. Attention D. Look out for
20. Joe: Would you like to come to my party?
Sue: Is your brother going to?
Joe:
- A. I don't think so. B. Do you think so?
C. Yes, we are. D. I'm thinking of it.

IV. Fill in the gaps in the passage with the word or words which make sense.

If you want to buy a car, do not buy one from my friend, Mike Jackson. I do not (21)..... that he is dishonest, or that he will charge you more than the car (22) No, Mike is an honest man, and he knows a lot about cars. The problem is that (23) exaggerating. He will show you an old car that looks as if it had been run over by a train, and then say, 'Don't worry! Once I've cleaned it up and repaired the engine, it will be as good as the Queen's Rolls Royce.'

If, (24) this, the car coughs and falls to pieces, he will just smile and say, 'Never mind! I've got another car for sale that's even better. Come and have a look at it.' (25) to say goodbye and walk away from him.

21. A. want you to think B. hope
C. expect you to find out D. have any idea
22. A. is worth B. that he is trying to sell
C. should have D. is valuable
23. A. he intends B. he cannot help
C. it makes a lot of D. there will be
24. A. as he is speaking B. although he says
C. while he is saying D. as soon as

25. A. You'd rather B. Now
C. You are well D. This is the moment

V. Use the word given to form a word that fits in the space in the same line.

26. It is difficult to come up with a reliable of the word superstition.
(define)
27. After two years of, Hà got to know Linh really well.(friend)
28. Linh received most of his education from his mother.(music)
29. I found Tony's book interesting.(surprise)
30. The government is going to provide more houses for people.(home)

VI. Choose one word given which best completes the sentence. Each word can be used once only.

vacations, vacancies, directions, instructions, sign, signal, fussy, order

31. Michiyo is really about fresh food.
32. Guesthouses with are often hard to find in summer.
33. I must consult the for the food mixer.
34. Shall we a pudding?
35. Look first, then!

VII. Complete the following passage with one word for each gap.

The Old Man and the Sea is very easy (36) read. On the (37) first page, you learn (38) the old man has gone 84 days without catching so much as a single fish. On that opening page, (39) everything about him is described as old characteristics (40) as the wrinkles on his neck and the many scars on his hands. This makes you feel such enormous sympathy (41) the old man.

I think the reason (42) the book is so popular is that it tells a very simple story, that it is timeless enough to appeal (43) people of all ages and backgrounds. It has such (44) unusual style, too, which contributes (45) its success.

VIII. Complete the second sentence with the word given so that it has a similar meaning to the first

46. They say the baby was born in poor conditions.(said)
The baby born in poor conditions.

47. I prefer to go out to clubs and see live comedy instead of watching TV recordings of it.(than)

I prefer to see live comedywatching TV recordings of it.

48. Your salary depends on the success of the band.(much)

How the success of the band.

49. Your teeth need checking regularly.(have)

You ought regularly.

50. His boss told him he was fired and ordered him to leave immediately.(got)

His boss told him he and said he should leave immediately.

IX. With the words and phrases provided, make all the changes and additions necessary to produce correct sentences of a story. Do not change the order of the words. The example is the first sentence of the story.

Example: My first visit / cinema / unhappy one.

Answer: *My first visit to the cinema was a very unhappy one.*

51. I / be taken there / some friends / when I / be / only seven / year / old.

52. first / there / be / bright lights and music / and I / feel / quite happy.

53. When / lights / go out, / I / feel / afraid.

54. film / start / and I / see / train / screen.

55. train / come / me.

56. I / shout out / fear / and / get down / my seat.

57. When my friends / see / me, / they / start / laugh.

58. I / feel / ashamed / and / sit back / my seat.

59. I / watch / film / end / but I / still feel / afraid.

60. I / be / glad / when / film / end.

PHẦN III: ĐÁP ÁN

PRACTICE TEST 1

1C	2D	3B	4C	5B	6A	7A	8A	9B	10A
11C	12A	13C	14B	15B	16B	17C	18D	19B	20C
21A	22C	23B	24A	25C	26B	27A	28D	29A	30B
31B	32A	33D	34A	35A	36B	37B	38B	39C	40B
41B	42D	43B	44A	45D	46C	47D	48D	49B	50A
51C	52A	53B	54C	55D	56C	57C	58C	59C	60D
61D	62D	63B	64C	65A	66A	67C	68D	69C	70D
71D	72C	73A	74D	75D	76A	77B	78D	79A	80B

PRACTICE TEST 2

1D	2A	3C	4B	5A	6B	7C	8B	9D	10B
11D	12B	13A	14B	15C	16B	17D	18D	19B	20D
21D	22A	23B	24A	25C	26D	27D	28A	29B	30A
31C	32C	33A	34D	35B	36D	37A	38C	39D	40B
41C	42C	43A	44D	45B	46D	47A	48C	49B	50B
51B	52B	53A	54D	55A	56C	57D	58C	59A	60A
61C	62B	63B	64C	65A	66B	67D	68D	69C	70D
71A	72A	73B	74D	75C	76A	77A	78A	79C	80C

PRACTICE TEST 3

1C	2B	3C	4D	5A	6A	7C	8C	9C	10C
11A	12C	13D	14D	15C	16B	17D	18B	19C	20D
21A	22B	23A	24B	25C	26D	27B	28C	29D	30C
31A	32D	33D	34C	35A	36C	37D	38A	39C	40A
41C	42D	43A	44B	45D	46B	47D	48D	49B	50D
51C	52B	53D	54D	55C	56D	57C	58B	59B	60C
61A	62D	63C	64C	65C	66C	67B	68A	69C	70D
71B	72B	73C	74C	75D	76D	77B	78B	79D	80B

PRACTICE TEST 4

1C	2D	3B	4D	5D	6C	7B	8D	9B	10D
11B	12D	13C	14D	15A	16B	17C	18B	19B	20D
21 B	22B	23A	24C	25B	26C	27C	28A	29C	30A
31 A	32B	33C	34C	35C	36D	37A	38C	39B	40B
41C	42C	43B	44A	45C	46D	47C	48B	49D	50C
51 A	52A	53C	54C	55C	56D	57B	58C	59B	60D
61 C	62C	63B	64D	65D	66C	67B	68B	69B	70A
71D	72C	73B	74B	75C	76B	77B	78A	79B	80C

PRACTICE TEST 5

1D	2A	3D	4C	5D	6C	7D	8B	9C	10A
11C	12A	13C	14C	15B	16B	17B	18C	19D	20C
21 A	22C	23A	24B	25D	26B	27B	28B	29C	30D
31C	32C	33A	34C	35B	36A	37A	38B	39A	40D
41A	42B	43B	44A	45A	46C	47D	48B	49D	50B
51A	52B	53C	54B	55C	56A	57A	58A	59A	60C
61C	62D	63C	64A	65C	66C	67A	68A	69B	70B
71D	72C	73B	74D	75B	76A	77B	78D	79B	80C

PRACTICE TEST 6

1D	2C	3A	4A	5D	6B	7A	8C	9A	10A
11B	12D	13B	14D	15B	16B	17A	18D	19C	20A
21 C	22B	23A	24D	25A	26B	27B	28A	29B	30B
31A	32B	33D	34C	35A	36D	37A	38D	39A	40C
41C	42A	43B	44D	45C	46A	47C	48A	49D	50B
51 B	52D	53C	54C	55C	56B	57B	58B	59A	60C
61A	62B	63B	64C	65B	66C	67D	68A	69D	70C
71A	72A	73D	74B	75A	76B	77C	78A	79A	80B

PRACTICE TEST 7

1C	2A	3B	4A	5C	6C	7A	8A	9D	10B
11A	12B	13D	14B	15C	16A	17B	18C	19C	20A
21D	22A	23B	24C	25A	26A	27C	28A	29B	30D
31C	32C	33C	34C	35A	36B	37D	38D	39B	40C
41 D	42A	43C	44A	45D	46A	47D	48C	49A	50B
51 C	52A	53B	54D	55A	56A	57B	58C	59A	60D
61D	62B	63D	64B	65D	66C	67A	68A	69C	70D
71 C	72C	73A	74A	75C	76A	77D	78C	79B	80D

PRACTICE TEST 8

1C	2C	3D	4C	5B	6A	7C	8A	9D	10A
11A	12C	13B	14B	15A	16D	17D	18C	19D	20D
21C	22B	23C	24B	25D	26C	27D	28B	29C	30D
31B	32C	33C	34D	35C	36B	37C	38C	39A	40A
41 C	42A	43A	44C	45B	46C	47B	48A	49B	50B
51C	52B	53A	54D	55A	56B	57C	58C	59B	60C
61 B	62B	63D	64B	65C	66A	67B	68B	69A	70C
71B	72C	73D	74B	75C	76A	77B	78C	79A	80D

PRACTICE TEST 9

1A	2A	3D	4C	5D	6B	7C	8C	9C	10D
11A	12A	13C	14B	15B	16B	17A	18A	19C	20A
21 D	22C	23A	24C	25B	26C	27A	28A	29A	30C
31 A	32A	33C	34D	35A	36A	37A	38C	39C	40C
41 B	42A	43D	44C	45C	46C	47A	48C	49C	50C
51 C	52C	53D	54D	55B	56A	57A	58C	59B	60A
61 B	62B	63C	64B	65B	66A	67A	68C	69C	70C
71 B	72D	73A	74C	75D	76D	77A	78D	79A	80C

PRACTICE TEST 10

1C	2C	3A	4A	5C	6D	7D	8C	9C	10A
11B	12C	13A	14B	15C	16D	17C	18C	19D	20C
21 B	22A	23D	24B	25A	26B	27C	28A	29B	30C
31B	32C	33D	34B	35D	36B	37D	38D	39D	40B
41 B	42C	43D	44A	45A	46D	47C	48C	49C	50B
51D	52B	53C	54D	55B	56C	57B	58D	59A	60D
61C	62D	63A	64A	65D	66B	67C	68C	69B	70A
71C	72B	73C	74C	75A	76A	77D	78C	79D	80B

PRACTICE TEST 11

1A	2D	3A	4D	5D	6D	7C	8C	9C	10A
11D	12C	13B	14B	15D	16A	17D	18B	19C	20B
21 B	22C	23C	24D	25A	26A	27B	28C	29A	30D
31 C	32D	33D	34C	35B	36A	37A	38C	39C	40A
41 D	42A	43D	44C	45C	46D	47A	48A	49A	50B
51 D	52A	53D	54C	55B	56C	57D	58B	59D	60B
61 C	62D	63C	64D	65A	66D	67B	68C	69D	70C
71 A	72B	73A	74C	75A	76C	77A	78A	79C	80A

PRACTICE TEST 12

1A	2C	3C	4A	5A	6D	7A	8C	9D	10C
11B	12C	13B	14B	15A	16B	17C	18C	19B	20C
21 B	22C	23A	24C	25C	26B	27B	28D	29C	30A
31 A	32A	33C	34D	35B	36C	37A	38A	39B	40B
41 D	42A	43D	44B	45B	46A	47A	48D	49C	50B
51A	52A	53C	54B	55D	56B	57D	58C	59A	60B
61D	62C	63A	64B	65A	66C	67D	68D	69D	70B
71 C	72C	73C	74D	75C	76A	77D	78B	79C	80D

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1 B	2 D	3 A	4 D	5 B	6 C	7 B
8 C	9 C	10 A	11 C	12 A	13 B	14 D
15 A	16 B	17 A	18 C	19 D	20 B	21 A
22 C	23 C	24 A	25 D	26 A	27 B	28 B
29 B	30 B	31 A	32 B	33 C	34 C	35 D
36 C	37 D	38 A	39 D	40 A	41 A	42 A
43 A	44 C	45 B	46 C	47 A	48 A	49 D
50 C	51 C	52 B	53 D	54 D	55 D	56 C
57 B	58 C	59 C	60 B	61 A	62 C	63 C
64 A	65 C	66 C	67 C	68 B	69 A	70 C
71 impressively		72 independent		73 unpolluted		
74 longest		75 non-existence				

76. Thank you very much for having invited me to speak to your students about conservation.

77. I *am/ would be* delighted to come *and/ to* answer all of the questions (that) any student may have.

78. I find it best to start by showing a video film and it will be followed by a discussion.

79. Also, I *am having/ have* a wide selection of information leaflets in which any students *are / will be* interested.

80. I hope *your/ the* students will enjoy listening to my lecture and I look forward to hearing from you.

81. In front of them was standing a big man. / In front of them was a big man standing.

82. Hardly had he arrived when things went wrong.

83. So heavily did it rain that they cancelled the flight.

84. No matter how long you (may) use it, it won't wear out.

85. You didn't forget to post the letter, did you?

ĐỀ THI 2

I.

1. B. 2. C. 3A 4 B 5 D

II

1 D 2 C 3 B 4 A 5 A
6 C 7 D 8 B 9 C 10 B
11 A 12 D 13 A 14 B 15 B

III.

1 pleasure 2 unfamiliar 3 differences 4 preparations
5 Environmentalists 6 increasingly 7 broadening
8 entertained 9 educational 10 unsuccessful

IV.

1 B 2 C 3C 4A 5 A
6 B 7 D 8 D 9 B 10 D

V.

1 was 2 have 3 more / many 4 lighting
5 and 6 free 7 their 8 but
9 pride 10 as

VI.

1. → If I *were / was* in Mary's *situation / case / shoe*, I would apply for that job.
2. → It was such old furniture that *we didn't keep it // it was not worth keeping*.
3. → How long is it since you started that exercise program? // How long have you carried out that exercise program?
4. → In spite of the fine weather they didn't find the trip interesting.
5. → Football is said to be the best game to play.
6. → Without air, we couldn't survive.
7. → *As far as I know // as I am concerned*, he has gone.
8. → He took to the new friend immediately.
9. → They stopped going out with each other two years ago.
10. → No one else in the class plays the guitar as well as Gary (does).

ĐỀ THI 3

I.

1 A 2 A 3 D 4 C 5 B

II.

1 D 2 C 3 C 4 C 5 A
6 A 7 C 8 D 9 B 10 A
11 C 12 B 13 A 14 A 15 D

III.

1 appealing 2 far-away 3 interested 4 dangerous
5 visitors 6 widened 7 considerably 8 comparison
9 company 10 businessman

IV.

1. useless 2 incapable 3 unidentified 4. unreliable
5 remarkable

V.

1 A 2 B 3 A 4 C 5 D
6 D 7 C 8 D 9 B 10 D
11 A 12 D 13 A 14 D 15 B

VI.

1 subjects 2 among 3 consists 4 run
5 like 6 it 7 besides 8 devices
9 time 10 job

VII.

1. → What I am really impressed by is her ability to run a company.
2. → Such was *their / the children's* excitement that *the children / they* talked about the show all night long.
3. → What an easy language to learn English is.
4. → In case it rains hard this afternoon, *take / you should take* the raincoat with you.
5. → Micheal Jordan is believed to have been a basketball genius.
6. → Had it not been for your warning, I *would / might* have failed *the test / in the test*.
7. → That computer had its hardware infected with viruses.
8. → He takes after his father in many ways.
9. → She forgot to do the washing.
10. → His father takes an interest in fishing.

ĐỀ THI 4

I.

1 A	2 B	3 C	4 D	5 B
6 C	7 D	8 C	9 D	10 D
11 A	12 B	13 C	14 D	15 B
16 C	17 D	18 C	19 D	20 D

II.

1 further	2 familiarize	3 picnicking	4 similarities
5 cultural	6 technologically	7 enrichment	8 entertainment
9 scientists	10 unpopular		

III.

1 D	2 C	3 B	4 A	5 C
6 B	7 A	8 B	9 A	10 A

IV.

1. health	2 cause	3 who / that	4 do
5 other	6 of	7 have	8 increase / raise
9 made	10 without		

PHẦN TỰ CHỌN

V.

- I suggest *Peter looking* / *that Peter (should) look* for another job.
- Hardly *had/ did* the teacher *returned* / *return* home when he started to write the lesson plan.
- Tom apologized to Tina for *having broken* / *breaking* the valuable vase.
- The police wouldn't *let us get* / *allow us to get* nearer.
- No other student(s) in our school *are* / *is* as bright as Nam (is).
- It was (only) when he came into the room that I recognized him.
- I must send my thanks to Jane and Alice for their presents.
- He came down with a cold so he stayed home.
- They stopped playing tennis almost two years ago.
- It was such good news (that) she smiled happily.

V.

- I would like to express (my) concern about the increasing number of karaoke bars in *the/ our* city.
- There are a lot of reasons why I object to those places.

3. Firstly, the owners take too much money from those who come to sing.
4. Secondly, they *cause / are causing* too much noise in the neighborhood.
5. Thirdly, there are a number of pupils *who / that* play truant just to go to those places to sing.
6. Last but not least, these bars do harm to the appearance of the city because of their too ugly flashing lights.
7. I (also) want to say (that) I am not an old-fashioned person.
8. I hope (that) the authority (will) take the matter into careful consideration.
9. I do not mean to ban them, but there should be *an / some* effective way to control this kind of entertainment places.
10. I look forward to seeing the city council doing something about this matter.

ĐỀ THI 5

PHẦN I.

Câu 1:

- | | | | |
|---------------|------------------|-----------------------|----------|
| 1. phoned | 2. didn't answer | 3. were...doing | 4. heard |
| 5. was having | | 6. has been working | |
| 7. returns | | 8. will not have seen | |
| 9. arrived | | 10. had...discovered | |

Câu 2:

- | | | | |
|----------------|-------------|------------|--------------|
| 1. ice – cream | 2. suitcase | 3. perfume | 4. hairbrush |
| 5. microphone | 6. hotel | 7. station | 8. boat |
| 9. crash | 10. sleep | | |

Câu 3:

- | | | | |
|------------------|-----------------|--------------|--------------|
| 1. prevention | 2. activities | 3. excessive | 4. sensibly |
| 5. unfortunately | 6. inconvenient | 7. canned | 8. unhealthy |
| 9. parachuting | 10. exciting | | |

Câu 4:

- | | | | | |
|--------|-------|--------|---------|--------|
| 1. of | 2. to | 3. for | 4. with | 5. to |
| 6. for | 7. in | 8. in | 9. in | 10. of |

PHẦN II.

Câu 1:

- | | | | | |
|------|------|------|------|------|
| 1. B | 2. A | 3. D | 4. B | 5. D |
|------|------|------|------|------|

Câu 2:

- | | | | | |
|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| 1. B | 2. C | 3. D | 4. B | 5. A |
| 6. C | 7. C | 8. D | 9. B | 10. A |
| 11. B | 12. C | 13. A | 14. D | 15. C |

Câu 3:

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|------|------|------|------|------|
| 1. D | 2. E | 3. B | 4. C | 5. A |
|------|------|------|------|------|

PHẦN III.

Câu 1:

1. Mary has been living here since 1987.
2. Huong is responsible for looking after her little brother.
3. Tom would not have missed the ferry if his car hadn't broken down.
4. They decided that a new school should be built immediately.

5. Peter doesn't like staying in hotels as much as camping.
6. I haven't made up my mind whether to move or not.
7. Be careful or you will hurt yourself.
8. I can't keep up with you.
9. We probably won't see each other again this week.
10. Martin can't read the newspaper without wearing his glasses.

Câu 2:

1. Elizabeth Taylor was born in England in 1932.
2. She was a beautiful child with black hair and violet – blue eyes.
3. In 1939, she and her family moved to America.
4. The film makers there noticed her beauty when she was only nine.
5. Soon she became a child star.
6. She was one of the few child stars who continued to be successful when they became adults.
7. She made many films.
8. (However), her private life is not as successful as her career in films.
9. She has married several times.
10. Today she is a grandmother but she still has her film- star looks.

ĐỀ THI 6

I.

1A 2 B 3 C 4 A 5 A 6 D 7 C 8 A 9 D 10 A

II.

1 D 2 C 3 A 4 D 5 C 6 C 7 A 8 A 9 B 10 B

III.

1 sounding	2 outbreak	3 disagreement	4 sleepless
5 queuing	6 smoothening	7 scientifically	8 weaknesses
9 sensibility	10 panicking		

IV.

1 contamination	2 underground	3 moderately	4 affected
5 coastal	6 unpleasant	7 unsafe	8 exposure
9 pollutants	10 degrade		

V.

1. means	2 longer	3 other	4 Due / Owing
5 communicate	6. foreign	7 own	8 been
9 those	10 that		

VI.

1. → As far as *I know / am concerned*, he still needs *protection. / to be protected*
2. → He gave a brief introduction *on / about* me to the school teaching's staff.
3. → He takes pride in being a good computer programmer.
4. → A different kind of language is known to have been spoken by the people there some hundred years ago.
5. → I'd rather not *have a dance now / dance* now.
6. → The harder you work, the more successful you will be.
7. → No sooner had I put the phone down than she rang back.
8. → Despite my strong *disapproval / disapproving* of your behavior, I will help you this time.
9. → It was Tran Tien *who / that* wrote the song.
10. → He has a good command of French.

VII.

1. Regular exercise not only helps in controlling weight, but also prevents illnesses.
2. It lessens the risk of heart disease which is a threat to men over fifty (*years old / of age*)
3. It allows us to get rid of tenseness, anxiety, and frustration.
4. During exercise, the brain releases (*some / the*) chemicals (*which are*) called endorphins, which are associated with happiness and relaxation.
5. Exercise (*which is*) taken regularly improves the fitness of our body and (*our*) mind.

ĐỀ THI 7

I.

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|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| 1. D | 2. B | 3. C | 4. D | 5. D |
| 6. C | 7. A | 8. A | 9. C | 10. B |
| 11. B | 12. A | 13. C | 14. A | 15. D |
| 16. C | 17. B | 18. B | 19. D | 20. C |

II.

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|----------------------|-----------------|--------------------|------------------|
| 1. elders | 2. poverty | 3. servicing | 4. truth |
| 5. industrial | 6. surprisingly | 7. better-known | 8. sportsmanship |
| 9. environmentalists | | 10. unsatisfactory | |

III.

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|------|------|------|------|-------|
| 1. A | 2. B | 3. A | 4. A | 5. C |
| 6. B | 7. A | 8. B | 9. C | 10. A |

IV.

- | | | | |
|---------------|----------------|-----------------|----------|
| 1. generation | 2. than | 3. are | 4. spend |
| 5. of | 6. for | 7. which / that | 8. no |
| 9. one | 10. difference | | |

V.

1. How come nobody told me the truth?
2. None of the other dishes on the menu are *as / so* cheap as that one.
3. Already this year, 1055 people have been killed in traffic accidents.
4. Since they had made all the arrangements, they decided to go anyway.
5. The fact that she failed in the last exam depressed her.
6. Had the managerial staff acted sooner, they *would / could* have prevented the strike.
7. No parking is allowed *here because it is a restricted area / in this restricted area*.
8. The house had its roof blown off *in / by* the strong wind.
9. Before Dad gets angry, you should turn that music down.
10. Whatever has been ordered will be delivered.

VI.

1. In your last letter, you kindly offered to put me up in your flat *while / when* I am in Berlin.
2. I am afraid (that) I am unable to take your offer for the time being.

3. My father is so sick that I have to stay (at) home to take care of him.
4. He is very sick, so I can not leave him alone.
5. My brother also helped (to) look after Dad, but he is now away on *his / a* business trip in Paris.
6. I hope *to be / I will be* able to come to Berlin later *by / at* the end of this year, or perhaps in January.
7. If *the / your* room is free, I *am / would* be glad to stay with you.
8. I will let you know my plan as soon as possible in order not to interfere with your own plan.
9. Thank you every much again for *your / the* offer.
10. I cannot wait to see you in Berlin, but then I have to say goodbye.

ĐỀ THI 8

I.

1. C 2. D 3. B 4. A 5. D

II.

6. A 7. B 8. D 9. C 10. B
11. D 12. A 13. C 14. A 15. C

III.

16. D 17. B 18. A 19. B 20. C

IV.

21. D 22. A 23. B 24. B 25. D

V.

26. definition 27. friendship 28. musical
29. surprisingly 30. homeless

VI.

31. fussy 32. vacancies 33. instructions
34. order 35. signal

VII.

36. to 37. very 38. that 39. almost 40. such
41. with 42. why 43. all 44. an 45. to

VIII.

46. is said to have been
47. at clubs rather than stay home
48. much you (make / earn) depends on
49. to have your teeth checked
50. got a sack

IX.

51. I was taken there by some friends when I was only 7 year old.
52. At first there were bright light and music and I felt quite happy.
53. When the light went out, I felt afraid.

54. The film started and I saw a train on the screen.
55. The train was coming towards me.
56. I shouted out with fear and got down from my seat.
57. When my friends saw me, they started laughing.
58. I felt ashamed and sat back to my seat.
59. I watched the film to the end but I still felt afraid.
60. I was glad when the film ended.

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